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FROM WASHINGTON.

The President's Anxiety for the Success of His Party.

REORGANIZATION WITHOUT CHANGE

Of Policy—The Special Session Question—Instructions to Collectors—Gen. Rosecrans' Illness—Mr. Carter Calls on the President.

Anxious for the Success of His Party.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Officials and others who have talked with President Harrison since the election say that he takes a deep interest and an active part in the consideration of plans for the future conduct of the republican party. They say that in all their talks with them the president's utterances have tended to encourage them to activity in the work of organizing and strengthening the party. There has been, they say, no despondency in what he has said and he wastes no time in vain regrets, but is earnest in the feeling that more than ever there is need for compactness and unity of purpose in the party.

The discussion of the re-organization in the sense, not of change in principle or policy, but of perfecting the management and methods, has already been taken up by leading republicans, and correspondence looking to the strengthening of the organization has begun.

A permanent organization, with workers who will keep up the work all the year round and every year, instead of trying to do the work of four years in the few months before a presidential election is what is aimed at.

Representative W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, chairman of the democratic committee, a leading member of the committee on ways and means, against whose re-election, a particularly vigorous fight was waged by the republicans of that state, and whose name has been mentioned as the probable attorney-general in President Cleveland's cabinet, strongly favors the calling of a special session of congress to consider tariff legislation.

"The true worth and value of a tariff bill," he said, "cannot be tested in a short time, and the effects are sometimes supposed to be what they are not. I think it would be most impolitic to place a new tariff bill before the country just before the election of 1896. For this reason I favor the extra session idea, and think the sooner the proposed tariff changes go into effect the better will the final result be for our party."

Senator Carlisle, who is known as one of Mr. Cleveland's closest political associates, was in Washington yesterday, en route to Chicago, where he goes to visit his son's family. He knows nothing of the intention of the president-elect respecting an extra session of congress, but Senator Carlisle said he did not believe Mr. Cleveland could tell whether or not he would call an extra session. It would all depend upon conditions not yet developed, and which in the nature of things could not develope until later on. "If there is an extra session," he said, "it will probably not meet until late in the fall. It depends on circumstances. The tariff alone will not furnish sufficient reason for an extra session. The financial affairs of the government may be in such shape as to make an extra session imperative. It appears probable that we shall find that there is not enough money in the treasury for the needs of the government. There is a situation in the treasury which every thoughtful man who has considered the matter has foreseen. There is an accumulation of deficiencies and obligations that have been contracted and will come over to us.

"It may be that this situation will furnish reason enough why an extra session should be called. We shall have to see what congress does at this session. If they do not repeal the Sherman law relating to the purchase of silver, and take such other action as the situation demands, we may be swamped. Upon these things depend the calling of an extra session."

A Circular of Instructions to Collectors of Customs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Acting Secretary Spaulding of the treasury department has issued a circular to collectors of customs in regard to entry of vessels carrying immigrants. According to this circular the department has received authentic assurances that the danger of cholera infection still exists, and that the measures of precaution which have been heretofore observed cannot be materially relaxed without imperiling the public safety.

The objections to the unrestricted admission of steerage immigrants do not apply to vessels in which the steerage is occupied by the limited number of citizens and residents of the United States and their families who are likely to avail themselves of the cheaper fares afforded by steerage tickets in returning to this country.

Gen. Rosecrans' Illness.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Gen. Rosecrans, register of the treasury, has been confined to his hotel for two weeks suffering from nervous prostration. He did not respond as rapidly as usual to medical treatment and his friends feared that he would be stricken with paralysis, slight symptom of which appeared. He was reported yesterday, however, as being much better, the dangerous symptoms having disappeared. As soon as he is strong enough he will go to Fortress Monroe, or take a trip to the Bermudas to recuperate.

Chairman Carter Calls on the President.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Chairman Carter, of the republican national committee, called at the White House yesterday afternoon and had an extended interview with the president. Aside from the discussion of political matters, it is understood the president consulted with Mr. Carter as to filling the vacancy of commissioner of the general land office.

GOT THE GRAND BOUNCE.

Petroff, the Adventurer, Discharged from the Census Office.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Superintendent of Census Robert P. Porter yesterday afternoon discharged Ivan Petroff, the special agent who prepared the reports of Alaska for the tenth and eleventh censuses. In his letter to the secretary of the interior Mr. Porter says:

"Having acquainted myself with all the facts in relation to this matter I regret to say that I see no extenuating circumstances, and, therefore, ask your approval of my action."

Mr. Porter further said that a complete history of Petroff's action in regard to state department transaction precludes the supposition which he had entertained before making a thorough examination of the case, that Petroff was suffering from mental depression or insanity.

Prof. James H. Blodgett, of the census office, has been placed in charge of the Alaska work and will, after carefully verifying it in every particular, superintend its final publication.

The accuracy of this report does not depend on Petroff, as many other experts, special agents and enumerators were employed.

Secretary Noble yesterday afternoon approved Superintendent Porter's action.

In regard to the alleged charges against Mr. Howard Sutherland, Superintendent Porter says he has heard nothing save newspaper rumor. He pronounced the alleged confession of Sutherland as most likely a "fake," and believes that the whole story has been greatly exaggerated.

STEEL AND IRON.

The Iron Age on the Condition and Prospects of Trade.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Iron Age says to-day:

The excitement incident to the election has naturally tended to a quiet week, emphasizing the dullness which has been caused for some time past through the previous covering of requirements for the balance of the year, and for the first quarter of 1893. This has been notably true in pig iron and soft steel. In finished iron and steel markets have been well supplied with work thus far, but in some lines and in some sections are growing uneasy about full employment during the winter season. The latter generally shows some falling off in consumption, particularly in all branches in which outdoor work is necessary. Pig iron is steady in all the leading markets but is quiet so far as new transactions are concerned. Buyers have well covered, and sellers are comfortably off for orders. The former have in their favor the approach of the duller season and growing production, while the latter can point to the fact that thus far consumption has exceeded all expectations. There have been some sales in the Pittsburgh market and in eastern Pennsylvania of Bessemer pig. An interesting transaction is reported of the buying, for six months' delivery, of a large quantity of Bessemer pig by a street rail mill for conversion into blooms at a tonnage rate, by an adjoining large steel plant.

Billets have been quiet, with further reports of good prices paid for spot stock. Rumors are afloat, however, that two leading brands of the Pittsburgh district have been offered for prompt delivery at a price which is close to the lowest quoted during the past six months.

Our Philadelphia correspondent reflects the complaints of some buyers, that the mills are postponing deliveries on old contracts in order to avail themselves of the opportunity to sell spot steel at better figures.

Muck bars are showing an easier tendency in eastern Pennsylvania but are reported as being steady and quite active in the Pittsburgh district. Eastern steel rail mills record the first moderate-sized transactions for some time and the Chicago mills claim to be well supplied with orders for some time to come. There is no indication as yet that the usual demand for renewals on the part of the trunk lines will soon appear in the markets. The majority of the mills depend upon it for winter work.

Bars are weakening a little in the eastern and in the Chicago markets. Structural iron and steel is dull in all sections so far as new business is concerned. Our Chicago correspondent records a somewhat unusual transaction. A local mill has sold 200 tons of beams for New York delivery.

The pipe trade has received some very good orders lately and shows considerable activity with a possibility of some advance in the price.

Old material is again quiet in all markets, the recent interest in it having subsided.

We print in our metal report some interesting statistics of production of copper, which go far to explain the hardening tendency. Tin has declined and lead is slow and weaker.

THANKSGIVING.

Gov. Fifer of Illinois Issues His Thanksgiving Proclamation.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 17.—Gov. Fifer yesterday issued the following proclamation:

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Nov. 15.

During the year now drawing to a close the people of this commonwealth have been the recipients of many blessings. The fields have brought forth bountiful harvests; the mines have yielded rich returns, and industry in every department of labor has met with liberal reward. Health, peace and prosperity have prevailed throughout our borders. Divine Providence has dealt kindly and graciously with the citizens of this favored state, and gratitude should fill every heart for the benefits bestowed upon us by an all-wise Creator.

Now, therefore, I, Joseph W. Fifer, governor of the state of Illinois, in conformity with the president's proclamation, do appoint the 24th day of November, A. D., 1892, a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God for the mercies and blessings of the year. And I call upon the people to lay aside their usual avocations, and in their homes and in their preferred places of worship devoutly return thanks to the Giver of all good for the many mercies and blessings of the year. In our rejoicing let us not forget the poor and needy, but open our hearts and purses to the wants of the destitute and unfortunate, and may our charity be generous to all who are suffering and in distress.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of state this, the fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and seventeenth.

JOSEPH W. FIFER, Governor.
By I. N. PEARSON, Secretary of State.

A Struggle for the Mastery.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial union were in executive session all day yesterday and the press censors had little to give out. Since adjournment it is learned that the two elements, democrats and populists, are still struggling for the mastery. It was learned that some acrimonious discussions were indulged in. The populist element seems dominant at present and is seeking to oust Mr. J. F. Tillman, of this state, a member of the national executive committee.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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A Russian Dignitary Arrested in San Francisco

AND THROWN INTO THE COMMON JAIL

With Vagrants and Drunks—Fined and Sentenced Without a Hearing—He Will Appeal to His Government for Redress.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—Evening papers publish an account of the arrest of Valdimir Nicholas Rumin, chief of the Siberian prisons, which took place yesterday morning. He wandered down to the city prison and not being able to speak good English his request to be allowed to enter the prison was misunderstood, and when he was arrested for drunkenness he made a most violent resistence. He was first placed in an ordinary cell with vagrants and drunks, but was afterwards put in a daak cell and there strapped to a cot in the prison hospital. This arrest occurred at 8 o'clock and at 10 o'clock an officer of the court pleaded guilty for him and he was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars or serve twenty-four hours in the city prison.

When he was taken before the court last evening he was allowed to withdraw the plea that he had never entered and his case was dismissed. Those who are able to converse with him while he was in prison declare that there was no sign of intoxication about him. Rumins' family is said to be one of the oldest and most influential in Russia. His brothers are generals in the Russian army and one of them is in command of the guard at the czar's palace. He will appeal to his government to demand redress.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.

Yesterday's Meeting of the Socialist Congress in Berlin.

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—The socialist conference resumed its session yesterday in Concordia hall. Herr Liebknecht defended the management of the socialist organ, Voorwaerts, against the allegation of extravagance in the payment of employes. He said that the editors of the journal in question were utterly overworked, and, as for himself, he could gain three-fold the amount he now received, if liberated from the obligations of party duty.

Delegate Piep, of Alsace, complained earnestly of the exceptional law prevailing in Alsace and Lorraine, and which bore severely upon the members of the social democracy. He censured the socialist deputies in the reichstag for not interpellating the government on the subject, and thereby taking means to liberate their brethren from oppression.

Herr Singer read the report of what the social democratic party had done in the reichstag, and he proposed a resolution against the passage of the military bill. This aroused considerable debate.

Numerous resolutions for the consideration of the social democratic deputies in the reichstag were discussed by the congress. The first concerned the religious oath in judicial procedure, the subject of frequent differences between the social democracy and other German parties. A motion looking toward the abolition of the religious oath was assigned to the consideration of the parliamentary contingent, to be presented before the reichstag if such a course be deemed expedient. Another similiar resolution was directed against the lese majeste prosecutions and the law behind them.

Other resolutions submitted to the parliamentary contingent were in favor of state administration of dispensaries or, in other words, free medical treatment for the people; the publication of reports for every session of parliamentary work; the employment of female factory inspectors with the special view of protecting women in factories and ascertaining their peculiar needs more particularly than men inspectors can ascertain them; the treatment of laborers in state factories as state functionaries.

A question bordering on woman's suffrage of the parties' policy came up in the form of a resolution favoring women's meetings to return female delegates to social democratic congresses. This resolution was approved unanimously.

After a heated discussion the convention rejected a proposal that the party hold biennial instead of annual congresses. August Bebel made a vehement speech against the proposed change.

Albin Gerisch read the report on May day. He proposed a resolution to the effect that the first Sunday after May 1, was the best day for the celebration.

The National Road Congress.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The National Road congress was called to order by President Millins and after the welcoming address and responses had been heard, the programme of the convention was announced to be a full discussion of the road question; the kind of roads; the character of paving; the use of convicts on public roads; the advisability of a bonded indebtedness as distinguished from slow progress and cash payments; the necessary legislation, and other points pertaining to road legislation.

These questions will be discussed by the various states represented.

The Smallpox in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Health department physicians have not much hope of the recovery of Martha Johnson, the smallpox patient at the pesthouse. They spent most of the day in vaccinating residents in the neighborhood of 362 North Fairfield avenue, from which house the patient was taken. So far there are no signs of any new cases and the authorities think there is no danger of an epidemic.

City News—Confidential.

For every hundred cents invested at *Abel's Carpet and Wall Paper House* last week in Carpets, Linoleums, Oil-Cloths, Mattings, and Wall Papers, each customer carried off more than a Dollar's worth; owing to the liberal patronage last week, we have decided to continue *Bargain-Day Sale* for one more week, beginning Monday Oct. 17th. Confining our trade to Dagastan, Byzantine, Saraceno, Kublai Furs and Smyrna *Rugs*.

Brussels, Irish Points, Tambour, Nottingham and Chenelle *Curtains*. d&w

A YEAR ago the Democrats prayed for church bells; now they are praying for

Secret Meeting of Homestead Strikers.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Nov. 17.—A meeting of the strikers who were members of the Amalgamated association was held at the rink yesterday afternoon. National officials of the Amalgamated association were present. The striking mechanics who are out in sympathy presented themselves at the door but were refused admittance.

The meeting was for the purpose of obtaining from the members of the Amalgamated association an individual expression of opinion on the present situation. Nothing of a definite character was done. They expect to arrive at some honorable conclusion to-day. The sentiment last night seemed to be that the men would vote to continue the struggle.

A Terrific Collision.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 17.—A special to the news from Brazil, Ind., says: "Yesterday morning the south-bound train on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago railroad, due in this city at 7:40 a. m., while running at high speed, crashed into a flat car on the track at Logan, seven miles north of this city. The engine of the passenger train was badly broken and all the passengers were severely shaken up. As far as known no one was killed, but it was a miraculous escape. Traffic on this division of the Monon is greatly delayed."

The Presidency of the Farmers' Alliance.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The fight for the presidency of the Farmer's Alliance between Loucks and McCune is likely to result in the choice of some man not identified with either faction. Who it will be is in doubt so far, but there is every probability of a compromise when both Loucks and McCune see that they cannot win. Gov. Buchanan, of Tennessee, arrived here early yesterday morning and attended a secret conference, from which it is inferred that he may be after the position.

A Sheriff Murdered by a Negro.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 17.—Election day Duncan McPhatter, colored, and others created a riot at Spring Hill, Richmond county, he being the leader. Tuesday Sheriff Livingstone went to arrest him and while reading the warrant McPhatter knocked him down with a gun and then shot, killing him instantly. The murderer is still at large.

Employment for Two Thousand Men.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 17.—The Baltimore & Ohio Railway Co. yesterday gave orders which will result in the employment of at least 2,000 men in the various car shops of the company, and add $100,000 per month to the salary list in providing new equipments for the system.

Eleven Jurors Secured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—The work of impaneling a jury for the second trial of Actor Curtis on the charge of murder was not completed yesterday. Eleven jurors have been obtained and the work will be resumed with a new venire of fifty to-day.

Obsequies of the Transcontinental Association.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—A funeral dirge was chanted over the Transcontinental association yesterday. All the members except two had sent in notices of withdrawal, but nearly all assembled yesterday and joined with the last two in the ceremonies. It was unanimously voted that Chairman Vining should close up the affairs of the association as soon after December 31 as possible. In no case should the association exist beyond February 28. The reason for the delay is owing to the compilation of statistics of traffic from which to make up the Pacific Mail steamship subsidy. All transcontinental traffic but that excepted by agreement is taxed a certain per cent. to make up the subsidy. It has been agreed to discontinue the subsidy December 31, but reports will not be complete enough to award per centages until February.

Tri-State Medical Association.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The Tri-State Medical association of Arkansas, Mississippi and Tennessee, opened its annual session yesterday. In lieu of an address the president, Dr. Webb, read a paper entitled: "A Plea for Woman." Several other papers were read and the meeting adjourned until to-day.

A House of Aluminium.

The Chicago leasehold trustees will erect upon their ground at the northwest corner of State and Madison streets a building; the fronts of which will be composed of aluminium, bronze and glass. This will be the first instance of which this metal entered into the structure of a building. The building will have a frontage of 62½ feet on State and 106 on Madison and will be sixteen stories high. The aluminium columns will be of a soft gold color. The building will be of steel construction, and its interior will be finished in elegant style, including mosaic floors, marble walls, etc. The possibilities of aluminium have been pronounced infinite, but nevertheless the fact that it is to be used in the outer construction of a great office must excite extended notice.—New York Telegram.

The Ugliest Thing on Earth.

Nothing in life is so ugly as a man in a bathing suit. He is bad enough when he is well made, ridiculous when he is scranny, and appalling when his architecture is of the convex order. In the latter case, he always wears a horizontally striped suit. Then, when he sprawls on the sand at some girl's feet, half dirty and wholly repulsive, you want to kick him. Men must have very little vanity. You never catch a girl doing anything of that sort. They make for the bathhouses the moment they leave the water, like stones out of a catapult.—Exchange.

The Laureate's Birthhouse.

Lord Tennyson's birthplace, Somersby house, has been sold by auction. It is a beautiful property, with lovely grounds, and then there are its associations, for it was there that as a child the laureate made unconsciously his first line of poetry as he ran down the garden with his long curls flying in the breeze and called out, "I hear a voice that's speaking in the wind."—Ladies' Pictorial.

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DESPERATE BATTLE

Between Revolted Prisoners and Spanish Troops.

MANY OF THE LATTER BITE THE DUST

A Well-Planned Attempt at Wholesale Jail Delivery Only Thwarted by the Prompt Response and Brave Conduct of the Soldiers.

MADRID, Nov. 17.—During the past year several outbreaks among convicts have occurred in prisons in various parts of the country. Yesterday the most serious of all the series occurred in the prison at Tarragona, and nine of the convicts were killed.

The convicts have been dissatisfied with their treatment for some time and formed a plan for a general jail delivery. Ordinary convicts in Spanish prisons are allowed considerable freedom within the walls, and this practice allowed them in this case to carry their plan out.

Shortly after the prisoners were released from their cells yesterday morning they mutinied. At a signal from their leaders they sprang upon the warders, and the latter, taken completely by surprise, were soon overpowered. The convicts then had full possession of the prison with the exception of the quarters occupied by the governor. Before they could secure the keys that would give them their freedom the governor sent an urgent appeal for aid to the military authorities, who promptly responded by sending a detachment of troops to the scene.

When the soldiers arrived they found a majority of the convicts assembled in the court yard. The commander of the troops called upon the prisoners to return to their cells, but he was greeted with oaths and derisive yells. Again he ordered them to go back. The convicts, who had armed themselves with all manner of things that could be used as weapons, again refused to obey, and in a body advanced upon the soldiers, their enraged faces showing that they meant mischief. The rifles of the soldiers were loaded with ball cartridges, and as the convicts moved towards them orders were rapidly given them to fire. The order was obeyed.

Before the smoke had cleared away the convicts were upon the soldier' and a desperate hand-to-hand fight followed. The convicts sought to wrest the weapons from the soldiers, but in this they were not successful. If they had been they probably would have driven the troops off and made their escape. Acting under orders from their commanders some of the soldiers retreated from the struggling, yelling mass of humanity and reloaded their guns. Then, awaiting an opportunity when there was no danger of hitting a comrade, they would fire upon the convicts. A perfect pandemonium reigned for the time, but finally most of the convicts were overpowered and driven, still cursing, back to their cells. Nine of the mutineers, however, had been shot dead and sixteen others were seriously wounded.

The affair has caused great excitement in the city, and it is demanded that the privileges of the convicts be curtailed.

While the fight was proceeding within the walls a close watch was kept by the police on the outside, and it was found that the convicts had made arrangements to receive aid in their attempt to gain their freedom. A close investigation will be made into the causes that led to the mutiny.

The New Council of Administration of the G. A. R.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 17.—The following gentlemen composing the executive committee of the new council of administration of the Grand Army of the Republic held their first meeting in this city yesterday: Commander-in-Chief Weissert, of Milwaukee; Sieb Gray, adjutant-general, Milwaukee; J. N. Taylor, quartermaster-general, Philadelphia; L. B. Raymond, Hampton, Ia.; H. J. Dietrich, Chicago; A. P. Burchfield, Pittsburgh; Jonathan McKelhey, Louisville; R. H. Cochran, of Toledo; H. C. Luther, of Providence, and W. H. Armstrong, of Indianapolis.

The work was confined to routine arrangements for the next national encampment to be held in this city. The week beginning on September 3 was fixed upon. The parade will be given Tuesday, September 5, and a line of march was selected for it yesterday. The first business session will be held September 6.

THE LAXATIVE GUMDROPS.

This is a new carthartic that has just been put on the market. They contain a gentle laxative that move the bowels easily without pain or griping. They are in the form of a gumdrop. They contain no taste of medicine and are followed by no disagreeable results. People who do not like to take pills will find that these gumdrops completely answer all the requirements. They can be taken at any time either before or after eating without any precautions. They are an excellent thing for children, for, as there is nothing disagreeable in their taste they can be given without the little ones suspecting that they contain medicine. Then too, these drops are perfectly harmless. While two or three are a dose, as many as ten can be taken without ill results. The small boxes are sold for ten cents, the large ones for 25 cents. Ask your druggist for them, and if he will not order them for you, send us the amount and we will mail them to you.

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One Case of Scarlet all wool Blankets, regular price, $3.50, slightly damaged, at $2.50.

One Case of all wool Fine White Blankets worth $4.50, slightly damaged, at $3.50 a pair.

One Case Extra Large all wool White 11-4 Blankets, worth $6.00, slightly damaged, at $4 50 a pair.

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THURSDAY EVE., NOV 17, 1892

GEN. ROSECRANS is seriously ill at his home in Washington

DEMOCRATIC leaders are more interested in the distribution of the offices than in devising ways and means to relive the people from the tariff taxes they talked so much about in the campaign

A PLOW factory at Rockford, Ill., capitalized at $125 000 failed yesterday and many men are thrown out of employment Where are their vested rights? Where is the 33⅓ per cent profit the concern made that General A J. Hunter told us about not long since?

OUR Democratic statesmen are preparing to carry the city election next spring It behooves Republicans to look about them and see to it that the Democratic bosses do not succeed Please bear in mind, also, that last spring the Democrats said there ought to be no politics in city elections

MONDAY night unknown parties desecrated the graves of sixteen Union soldiers buried at Clayton, Ill., by painting their tombstones with red paint Only four soldiers' graves were left unmarked. Such work as this is desperately disgusting and was evidently done by persons who do not believe in the cause in which these men served when the government needed defenders

THE Decatur *Review* wants to know how it comes that the Republican papers have ceased to cry that Altgeld is Mike McDonald's man The answer is that Mike has got his man and that is all there is of it But will the *Review* please explain why it has ceased its howl about the robber tariff—the awful McKinley bill? Was it intended that that howl was only to do duty for campaign purposes?

YESTERDAY'S dispatches stated that the Carnegie steel works will be enlarged What about shutting down our factories? Is this the first move in that direction?—*Decatur Review*

Don't know But what about making Carnegie divide his profits under a Democratic tariff policy? Is this the first move in that direction? And by the way, have the Democratic leaders promised H C Frick, who supported Cleveland that they will not change the tariff policy of the government further than will benefit the manufacturer by giving him free raw material. If this is true it is plain why Carnegie intends to extend some of his works

What Is It Here For?

It is remarkable that the Democratic leaders, at this time, when the echoes of their terrible and vicious assault on protection and the McKinley tariff law have scarcely died out, should hesitate for one moment to admit that they were in earnest in their tirades against protection And yet it is true that not one of them from Cleveland down to Andy Hunter has the courage to say that they will repeal the McKinley tariff law Such political cowardice was never before exhibited by the leaders of any party Their conduct is fast impressing those people whose votes they secured on the promise of relief from "tariff taxes" that the Democratic party as at present constituted is nothing more than an organized humbug unworthy of confidence on the part of anybody If protection is "legalized robbery," as these leaders have claimed for years, and a return to a revenue tariff will relieve the workingman and the farmer from the "burdens it imposes," and at the same time guarantee our "manufactories a healthy growth," can any sensible man give a single reason why these interests should not speedily be given relief? And yet we find these leaders not only halting as to whether a special session of congress shall be called, but actually debating in their minds whether they dare or ought to repeal the McKinley tariff law

The Bloomington *Pantagraph* has interviewed nine leading Democrats in Bloomington and five of them thought the McKinley law would not be repealed, but would be modified some, and four thought it would be repealed Here is an example, right in the home of the Vice President elect, of the utter unreliability of Democratic leaders to do as they agreed Worst of all nearly every one of them talks about putting raw materials on the free list Raw materials are the finished products of the poorest paid labor in the country, but this product these leaders propose to make free at the expense of this labor and give the benefit thereof to the manufacturers of the country, who, they told the laborer during the campaign, was robbing him under the infamous protective tariff If the Democratic party after all its bluster, can think of no better thing to do than to rob the poorest paid labor and give the benefit of that robbery to the bloated manufacturer, then, surely the laboring people have made a mistake in putting that party in power and Powderly was right when he said "The Democrat party is the enemy of the laboringman

Cleveland With the Robbers

Grover Cleveland was the guest of the New York Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night and made a speech in which he said

You represent those interests which are utterly indispensible to our national growth and prosperity I do not believe that any other interests should be obliged to feed from the crumbs which fall from the table of business, nor do I believe that tables should be robbed of the good things which are honestly and fairly there, merely because some other tables are not well provided. It comes to this, we are all interested as Americans in a common pursuit. Our purpose is, or ought to be, in our several spheres, to add to the general fund of our national prosperity. From this fund we are all entitled to draw, perhaps not equally but justly, each receiving a fair portion of individual prosperity Let us avoid trampling upon each other in our anxiety to be first in the distribution of shares, and let us not attempt to appropriate the shares of others"

Had the party which elected Mr Cleveland made its campaign on the basis of this post election equity speech, Mr Cleveland would have been defeated. Mr. Cleveland owes his election to the calamity howler, to the theory that the "rich are becoming richer and the poor poorer," to the notion that under certain conditions one man may take possession of the property of another without due process of law, and that the poor have a right, by any sort of means they may see fit to use, to force a division of property

These are some of the ideas which elected Grover Cleveland, and it is a peculiar spectacle to see him stand so soon after election, in the midst of the 'plutocrats' and "robber barrons" at a banquet gauged at $100 a plate, openly proclaiming that the tables of luxury should not be robbed of "their good things, merely because some other tables are not well provided," and, as if to add insult to the masses who are poor and who voted for him resorts to cold blooded burlesque of the condition of the poor by saying "Let *us* avoid trampling on each other in our *anxiety* to be first in the distribution of shares" He knows very well that the carriage of Dives is never stopped to give succor to Lazarus and it is unnecessary to advise the bloated Dives to be careful not to trample on the other plutocrats in his effort to help those whose "shares" are not as great as his

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PHYSICIANS

frequently state "We know that Port Wine is the best tonic for the weak, nervous and debilated, and for such troubles as exhaustion weakness, sleeplessness, etc there is no medicine to compare with it yet we fear to prescribe it, for there are so many adulterations on the market'

There is a brand called 'Royal Ruby Port Wine, so called for its royal taste and ruby color, it is pure and old and has that fruity taste that no other wine has Druggists sometimes urge that which they have in bulk, why? More profit of course Royal Ruby port wine is guaranteed by the undersigned to be absolutely pure and over five years old, or money paid for it will be refunded Quarts $1 00 pints 60 cts Sold and guaranteed by Dr A J Stoner druggist Bottled by the Royal Wine Co, Chicago

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The injustice of Mr Williams' imprisonment is that instead of being properly tried and if it is found that he has done wrong made to pay for the damage he has done to the wall of the lord of the manor, he has been sent to prison without trial on a charge of contempt of court and there he may remain month after month, according to the caprice of the court of queen's bench This power of committal to prison for an indefinite period on such a fanciful charge as contempt of court seems to me to be a thing savoring of the proceedings of the court of the star chamber, which was abolished for its arbitrary acts by the breath of popular indignation In my ignorance I thought there was passed by the representatives of the people, for their protection from arbitrary imprisonment, an act called the habeas corpus act, which prevented a man from being capriciously imprisoned for an indefinite time without fair trial if he has been guilty of any crime But here is a man—a gentleman and a minister—being treated as if he had been guilty of robbery —Cor London Chronicle

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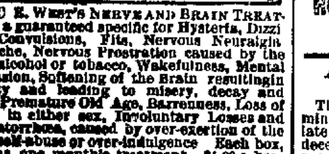

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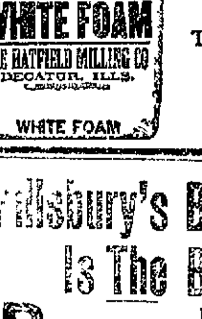

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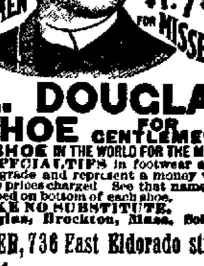

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Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Casper Burg, Deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Casper Burg, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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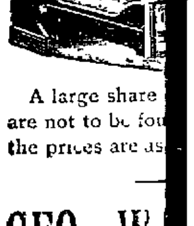

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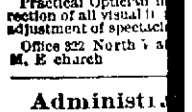

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Dated this 25th day ... DAVID ...
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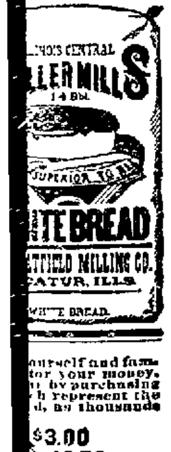

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Burt F. Hunt, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Burt F. Hunt, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1892.

JOHN A. RUEVI, Administrator

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Edward O. Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Edward O. Smith, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the January A. D. 1893 term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1892.

DAVID S. SHELLABARGER, Administrator

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Samuel McKinly, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Samuel McKinly, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the January term on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1892.

VOLNEY BARBER, Executor.

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Executrix' Notice.

Estate of William Clark, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of William Clark, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1892.

MARY A. CLARK, Executrix.

BUNN & PARK, Attorneys. oct20-d3w

NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received at the County Clerk's Office at Decatur, Illinois, until 12 o'clock on the 10th day of November, 1892, for furnishing combination fixtures for lighting the new court house, in accordance with schedule now in clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. BUILDING COMMITTEE.

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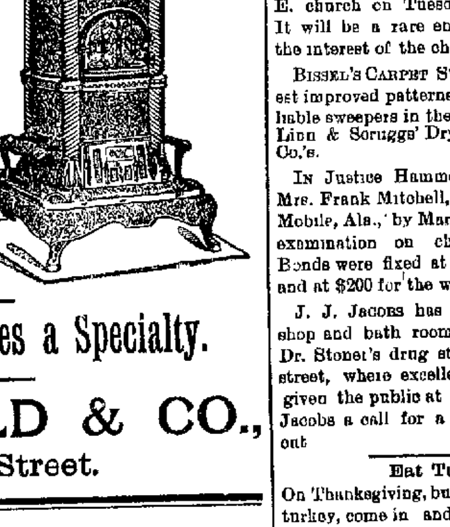

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The 23d series of the capital stock is now being issued at the office of the Association, No. 124 North Water street. The first four series have matured and been paid off, and the 5th series will mature this winter. Payments 50 cents per share, commencing the last Wednesday in November. Interest paid on stock withdrawn before maturity. Own your home. Do not pay rent, but join a building association.

H. W. BARTHOLOMEW, President.
H. A. WOOD, Vice President.

B. K. DURFEE, Secretary. Nov 11-d60

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for paving and improving North Morgan street in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, from the north line of Mason street, south to the north rail of the railway track situated and located farthest north as the same is now located, upon the right of way of the Wabash railway company in said city, according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur on the seventeenth day of October, A. D. 1892, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, for the paving and improving of said portion of said street, including labor, material and all other matters necessary to make the same.

All bidders will be required to furnish six samples each of the top and bottom brick to be used in paving before the bid will be considered. The quality of the material with the price per square yard will be considered together in determining the lowest and best bidder. All samples of brick to be used shall be filed with the city clerk and properly designated.

A bond or certified check in the sum of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council which conform to all requirements, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated Nov. 9, A. D. 1892.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1893.

Mary E. Bowen vs. Richard H. Bowen—In Chancery. Bill for Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to the said Richard H. Bowen that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the second Monday of January, A. D. 1893, as is by law required, which said summons has been returned by the sheriff of Macon county, not found, as to the said defendant, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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"JANE" to-night at the Grand.

IMPROVE your appearance by getting your clothes made by P. H. Kaufhold, 143 East Main street. 14-d6

YOU can always get good groceries at Hanks & Co.'s model store, 143 South Water street.

THE Charles Frohman company will present the new comedy, "Jane," at the Grand to-night.

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. s8dtf

WELCOME, all Christian Endeavor visitors, and may your stay in our midst be pleasant and profitable.

ALBUMS, Toys and other holiday goods very cheap at Robinson's Book Store, corner Water and Main. 15d6

THE Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home at Lincoln has been formally accepted by the Grand Lodge.

FAMILY groceries and fresh country butter to suit you at Philip Kemper's store, 757 North Water street.

THE police last night raided the Robbins and Etheridge gambling room. All of the parties arrested gave bonds.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE dampness continues. There was steady rain throughout last night, and deafening thunder at intervals.

THE regular weekly meeting of the Decatur Pension Examining Board was held yesterday at Dr. Walbridge's office.

THIS will be Ladies' Night at the Decatur Club rooms. The house committee is prepared to entertain the club's guests handsomely.

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

THOSE superb Haines Upright pianos and Packard organs on sale at C. B. Prescott's music store are the best. See them and you will buy.

DON'T buy your winter underwear before you have seen the celebrated Dr. Jaros hygiene fleece-lined. Just the thing for rheumatics. For sale by

CHEAP CHARLEY.

THE barber shop in the Perl Block on South Main street has been leased by George Ellis, who took possession to-day. Mr. Ellis was formerly with A. T. Grist on South Water street.

GENT'S Neckwear, Gent's Woolen Shirts, Gent's Underwear, Suspenders and Half Hose, all at reasonable prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

W. P. HASSOCK has gone to Tolono to take charge of the Western Union telegraph office, relieving W. E. Handy, who is a Democrat and has held the job for 14 years.

CHOICE apples, peaches and grapes can be had in any quantity at May & Churchman's model grocery store in the Syndicate Block, North Main street. 27-dtf

THE Roney Concert Company will give a musical entertainment at the First M. E. church on Tuesday, November 22d. It will be a rare entertainment and in the interest of the church.

BISSEL'S CARPET SWEEPERS—the newest improved patterns, and the most reliable sweepers in the market—for sale at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s. d&w

IN Justice Hammer's court Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell, brought here from Mobile, Ala., by Marshal Mason, waived examination on charges of larceny. Bonds were fixed at $700 for Mitchell and at $200 for the woman.

J. J. JACOBS has a first-class barber shop and bath rooms, first door east of Dr. Stoner's drug store on South Park street, where excellent service will be given the public at all times. Give Mr Jacobs a call for a good shave or haircut jun14-dtf

Eat Turkey

On Thanksgiving, but before you buy the turkey, come in and see our "Turkey Platter and Carving Set" sale.

We offer large turkey platters in twenty-five decorations, in Haviland and other French chinas, as well as Vienna, and English chinas, at prices that look as if we bought them for less money than they were ever bought in Decatur for.

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Property for Sale.

Residence lot 45x110 feet, with house of three large rooms each 16x17 feet front and rear porches, wardrobe, two large pantries, cellar 13x15 feet; new well and cistern; barn with room for two tons of hay, stall and buggy room, oats and corn bins. Call at 243 and 247 South Water street. nov8-d6t

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Fine Cloaks and Wraps.

During Thursday, November 17th, a representative of one of the most reliable houses in the United States will exhibit and take orders for cloak garments in our cloak department. We guarantee perfect satisfaction as regards quality, workmanship and lowest prices.

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And repair furnaces and put them in first-class shape for the winter.

CHILD GIVEN AWAY

At the Battle for Souls by a Salvation Army Mother.

The barracks of the Decatur Salvation Army were crowded last night on the occasion of the pitched battle for souls, which was the closing feature of the state convention. The service was brisk, noisy and earnest, and there were many seekers at the altar. Sister Collins' infant child was given away and consecrated to the Lord. The infant was fretful, and it cried. A Captain said it was crying for mercy. Possibly the bass drum and the horns frightened it.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted, and during the convention officers were assigned to places as follows: Staff Captain Addie and Lieutenant Humphrey, to Springfield; Captain Rogers and Lieutenant Johnson, to Galesburg; Captain Wise and Lieutenant Adele, to Macomb; Captain Hagland and Lieutenant Morton, to Elgin; Captain Ludgate and wife, to Lincoln. The following statistics regarding the Illinois division for the past year were read: Number of corps, 23; number of recruits and soldiers, 745; number of hours visiting, 3023; number of homes visited, 4792; number of *Crys* ordered, 15,765; number of oped airs held, 565; number of meetings held 1057; number of people attended, 45,620; total income, $2212.40; number of souls saved, 203.

Master and Man.

"Master and Man," the name of the latest play from the workshop of Pettitt and Simms, the greatest of all modern writers of melodrama, tells the story almost in the striking title. No subject is of more vital interest than the relative position of employer and employee. The most eminent minds of the world have struggled with the subject from time immemorial, and only recently a powerful organization came near solving the vexed problem, but as in all such cases internal dissension did much to overthrow a theory that promised great things. The dramatist in present on the mimic stage a story that inculates the need of any great reform has more real convincing power than the mere ethical writer, as he not only portrays character but delineates it by living impersonations. Melo-drama seems to be the prevailing fashion for dramatic productions and appeals to all of the foreign or native dramatists, and in this, their latest and best work, have hit upon a subject in which the sentiment is directed to the satisfaction of the popular taste. This play will be presented at the Grand, Tuesday evening, Nov. 22.

The Freeman Anniversaries.

November 16th is the day of weddings in the Freeman family. It is the day on which Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Spaulding, and Mr. and Mrs. John B. Freeman were united, and yesterday being the date the occasion was observed by the families at the James Freeman home on North College St. At 7 o'clock an elaborate supper was served, and the evening was most pleasantly passed. Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding were unable to be present. Mrs. G. S. Savage, of Chicago, A. F. Wilson, of Moaweqna, and B. S. Freeman, of Boston, were present from a distance.

A Protective Union.

The Musical Protective Union was formed last evening at Goodman's Band hall by F. N. Wood with the following officers: President, Prof. F. W. Westhoff; vice president, Prof. Robert Walter; recording secretary, Leo Heilbrun; financial secretary, E. O. Bennett; treasurer, Dr. T. S. Childe; Guide, C. P. Houeum, jr.; Guard, W. J. Gilkeeson. The union is a member of the National League of Musicians, and is formed for the purpose of mutual protection and benefit. The union starts with 41 charter members.

A Meteoric Shower.

Dr. Louis Swift, who believes the Holmess comet to be none other than Biela's comet that was first discovered in 1772 and again in 1805 and lastly by Beals in 1826 who gave his name to it, says that if be correct in his opinion on the night of November 27, it will give us a great meteoric display. He says also that it is within the range of probabilities that this comet will strike the earth some time as it has come very close to the earth several times.

All Hope is Gone.

There is now no hope of securing the commercial rolling mill for Decatur. It is barely possible that the stock might have been raised. Just $90,000 was needed, and before the election $60,000 was raised, but since that amount was secured nothing has been done. In the meantime Burlington people who knew the value of the plant hustled, and by forming a company secured a long lease on the property. It will stay at Burlington.

REV. J. W. CRANE will go to Kansas, Ill., Saturday morning. On Sunday he will assist in the dedication of a new church building where he was formerly pastor. Harmony is the name of the church, which is in the country. The new building cost about $8,000. Mr. Crane will lead the love feast. Rev. T. I. Coultas, formerly pastor of the First church of Decatur, will preach the principal sermon.

THE Roney Concert company, of Chicago, gives an entertainment, which for novelty, high artistic merit and great attractiveness has no rival and equal before the American public. The charming recitations and exquisite songs of Miss Pearson, and also her "musical recitations" are new and out of the usual line of elocutionists' work. At the First M. E. church next Tuesday evening.

Fixtures for the Court House.

The contract for providing the new court house with combination fixtures was let last evening by the building committee to the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating company of Decatur at $1,727.08. A full line of samples were displayed by five different competitors. The committee made selections from the Mueller collection.

Wachtesbach.

All the new shapes and colors now opened in this elegant yet not expensive goods. Pink, dark blue, yellow, pale green, lavender, etc. A. D. Coffees, mustards, tea pots, sugars, creams, cracker jars, all sizes, pitchers and many other useful articles. Come and see it.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Opening Dance.

The Calumet club will give their first dance of the season to-night at the club

CAPT. BARNES AT CHEMNITZ.

Descriptive and Gossipy Letter from Our Former Townsman.

This letter of local interest reaches us this morning, coming in the mail through the state department at Washington, from Captain John A. Barnes, who entered upon his duties October 15 as U. S. consul at Chemnitz, Germany:

CHEMNITZ, GERMANY, Oct., 29, 1892.

EDS. REPUBLICAN—We are gladdened each "steamer day" by the DAILY REPUBLICAN and we eagerly devour the news it contains, and in a manner keep posted as to events that at this distance seem to crowd upon each other. Home associations, locality and friends seem especially dear to those who are, as it were, entirely isolated from former companions, and dependent for news upon the uncertain ocean mail facilities. Myself and family arrived at Bremen on the 11th of October and having two or three hours there before resuming our journey to Chemnitz, I employed the time in visiting, in company with some German steamer acquaintances, the famous Rothkeller, or as it is now known, the Ratheweinkeller, the council wine vaults, where wine is found that was made in the sixteenth century and kept in vats called the Twelve Apostles and has become on account of age as thick as oil. Here in the dim past was held secret conclaves, or councils, and if these massive walls could speak, no doubt many secrets of state would be divulged. I had the pleasure of standing in one of its darkened chambers when by the aid of artificial lights we could see upon the ceiling high above us the outline of a beautifully painted rose. In this room it is said met the inner circle of the council, and from this room never was divulged the authors or concoctors of the bloody and cruel orders that from time to time were issued therefrom. Here also is said to have originated the idea of "sub rosa"—its significance arising from the fact that these secret edicts were reached or arrived at while sitting in council under this beautifully painted rose.

On all sides are evidences of antiquity and unconsciously we would find our selves entering or gazing upon buildings that were erected before the discovery of America. One can hardly realize that he is associating with inanimate objects that were in existance five to seven hundred years ago. Formerly Bremen, like all of the older cities of Germany, was enclosed by massive ramparts or walls but which are now, in this enlightened age, happily dismantled and beautiful parks and driveways have taken their place. Time and the patience of your readers remind me that I may become tiresome in dwelling too long at this point although I find it replete with objects of deep interest and with regret hasten on to our place of future abode. We passed through Magdeburg, Hanover, Leipsig and many other large and beautiful cities, and arrived at Chemnitz on the 12th of October in good health but somewhat fatigued by our long journey. I assumed the duties of my consular office on the 15th inst and as far as I am able to judge, think I will find the work both agreeable and instructive. With your permission I will at some future time furnish you with facts relating to Chemnitz, its manufactories, its people, and its general business. It is beautifully located upon broken or undulating country, and doubtless the surrounding landscape is very lovely when all nature is attired in her Sunday suit.

I am yours truly,

JOHN A. BARNES.

"Jane" To-Night

Charles Frohman's comedy success, Jane, which will be at the Opera House to-night is a decided departure from the usual comedy built on farcical lines. The story of the play runs: Charles Shakleton, a young bachelor of prodigal habits, has been left a property by an elderly aunt upon the condition that he marries. In order to deceive the trustee of the estate, named Kershaw, Shakleton writes that he is married, and upon this deception secures money enough to pay his debts; but his reckless living soon leads to other extravagances, and Kershaw determines to pay the young man a visit to see what use is being made of the money. Shakleton, not brave enough to assume entire responsibility, writes that it is his wife who is dissipating the family fortune in so lively a manner. Upon receiving word of Kershaw's intended visit he is in a quandary. What seemed a neat way of evading the difficulty now becomes unpleasantly serious and a wife for the situation must be provided. In Shakleton's employ are two servants, William and Jane, and upon the morning of Kershaw's visit this worthy young couple take it upon themselves to get married clandestinely. William enjoys his master's confidence to a considerable extent, and resolving to do a good turn he starts out quietly to find a temporary wife for Shakleton. Shakleton, however, not anticipating William's friendly interest, starts out to look for a wife on his own hook and lights upon Jane; at first Jane indignantly refuses, and then being a shrewd young woman with an eye to business, consents without first consulting her husband. William's woman and Jane appear upon the scene at the same time, much to Mr. Kershaw's astonishment and every one's discomfiture.

From this situation a number of interesting complications are woven, and the comedy action from this point on is refreshingly breezy and unstilted. Mr. Frohman's company is strong, both collectively and individually.

Fanny Rice in "Jolly Surprise."

There are few artists on the stage so well known and so thoroughly well liked, both in and out of the profession, as jolly little Fannie Rice, who will be at the Grand to-morrow night with her own company of singers and comedians in a new musical comedy written especially for her by Arthur Wallack, son of the late Lester Wallack, entitled "A Jolly Surprise." Miss Rice has been on the stage some eight or nine years, and has been unusually successful both in musical comedy and comic opera. She was one of the first to play Venus in Hoyt's Rag Baby company, and a few years later, was one of the principal members of the Carleton Opera company, and her clever performances of Nanon, Jovotte in Ermine and Elsa in the Merry War, made her a great favorite in all of the principal cities from Boston to San Francisco.

Grand Opening.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 1, 2 and 3. The largest and finest and cheapest line of holiday goods ever shown in Decatur. 99 cent stores, 310 and 312 North Water street and 221 East William st. 15-d1w

Turner Suits.

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The president yesterday appointed Silas Alexander, of New Mexico, to be secretary of that territory.

—Two masked men robbed the bank of Woodstock, Minn., Tuesday evening. They secured $1,000 and escaped.

—Kaiser Wilhelm will open the reichstag in person to show that he regards the military bill as his personal measure.

—The Russian government has decided to raise the duty on raw cotton to 140 copecks per pood for imports by sea and 155 for imports by land.

—Nick Brinkman, an employe of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. of St Louis, was badly burned by the explosion of a tank car which he was cleaning Tuesday evening.

—The Robinson & Stokes company of Omaha, Neb., has been attached by creditors for $45,000. The heaviest creditors say the company will no doubt be able to resume.

—William McKinley, Sr., father of Gov McKinley, celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday Tuesday. The governor and wife and Mrs. Osborne, of Boston, sister of Mrs. McKinley, Jr., were present.

—Lord Roseberry delivered an address at the unveiling of a bust of the late Sir John Alexander MacDonald, the Canadian statesman, in a crypt of St. Paul's, London, yesterday. There was a large attendance of distinguished people.

—In the case of William D. Cross, of the District of Columbia, convicted of wife murder and sentenced to be hanged, the United States supreme court held that under the statutes it had no jurisdiction over criminal appeals from the local court.

—Miss Miriam Sluder, known in religious circles as Sister Mary Albini, passed through St. Louis, her old home, Tuesday, from Syracuse, N. Y., accompanied by other sisters, en route to the Sandwich islands, where she goes to nurse the lepers of Molokai.

—The steamer Lahn, from Bremen to New York, which was aground in the Weser, and the steamer Maasdam, from New York for Rotterdam, which was aground at Maasluis, got off without damage. The Maasdam was obliged to discharge part of her cargo.

—Tuesday night the Alabama house of representatives held a democratic caucus and passed resolutions excluding all who did not vote for Cleveland. Twenty-four members withdrew forthwith. Four other members were not present, and it is not known how they stand.

—Sir John Bridge, of London, yesterday granted an order for the extradition to France of Jean Pierre Francois, alias Johnson, alias Brohl, accused of being an accomplice of Ravachol, the anarchist, and of having caused the explosion in the Very restaurant, where Ravachol had been arrested.

—A dispatch to the London Times from St. Petersburg states that a bulletin was issued Tuesday recording twelve new cases and five deaths from cholera in twenty-four hours. Most of the cases are on the island north of the Neva, where the water supply is bad. Cases of influenza are also reported as being numerous.

—Each day brings new recruits to the forces of the Carnegie company at Beaver Falls, Pa., twenty-five arriving yesterday morning. The city officials and business men are giving the company all possible aid, and there is a feeling of confidence and almost rejoicing among the citizens over the prospect of the resumption of work.

—The startling discovery was made Tuesday that the supposed priceless jewels and sacred relics owned by Rev Father Mollinger, and which played such a prominent part in the thousands of miraculous cures performed by the priest, are bogus imitations. The supposed precious stones are glass, and the alleged golden altar in St Anthony's chapel is nothing but wood covered with cheap gilt.

—The Swansea Tin Platers' association, which a fortnight ago discussed the advisability of seeking new markets, met again Tuesday and resolved to defer "out of sympathy for American canners who supported Mr. Cleveland" the pushing of the tin plate industry in new markets. It was also resolved to appoint a committee to watch the development of the American tariff as affecting the tin plate trade.

Southern Wholesale Druggists' Association.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 17.—Chairman Brusswigg called the convention of the Southern Wholesale Druggists' association to order yesterday. Mr. Kattrice, on behalf of the committee on organization, reported the modified legislation and by-laws of the Western association.

Officers are to be elected for a period of one year. The annual meetings are to be held in November, the date and city to be selected by the directors.

Vacancies in offices caused by death or resignations shall be filled by the executive board.

Provision is made for assessments not to exceed $25 per annum for each firm to cover deficiencies in the treasury. The constitution was finally adopted as a whole.

The by-laws were adopted as a whole. Special meetings of the association are to be called at any time by the president of the convention on the written application of not less than five members.

The Southern Associated Press.

ATLANTA, GA., Nov 17.—The Southern Associated Press was organized in this city, yesterday afternoon, after a two day's meeting of editors of the morning dailies in ten southern states. The capital stock of the company is $30,000, 50 per cent of which was subscribed under a charter unanimously adopted. The following directors were elected: E. P. Howell, Atlanta Constitution; J. C. Hemphill, Charleston News and Courier; J. H. Estill, Savannah News; F. P. O'Brien, Birmingham Age-Herald; Adolph Ochs, Chattanooga Times; Page M. Baker, New Orleans Times-Democrat; George Nichols, New Orleans Picayune; T. T. Stockton, Florida Times-Union. Evan P. Howell, was elected president; F. P. O'Brien, vice-president, F. Glass, secretary, and S. Patrick Walsh, treasurer.

The annual meetings of the association were fixed for the first Tuesday after the 15th of November of each year at such place as may be selected by the executive committee.

The Chicago Water Rates Steal—Half a Million Gone.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Experts are still at work on the city water office books. Francis W. Holbrooke and an assistant are making the examination. They say the system of bookkeeping has been so bad that an accurate estimate of the amount lost to the city cannot be made. An estimate places this loss as high as $500,000. Brokeski, the deposed bookkeeper, says this amount is a wild guess, and declares that figures to prove the assertion cannot be adduced.

Commissioner of Public Works Aldrich says he has not received a partial or complete report from Mr. Holbrooke and he can give no estimate on the amount of loss. It is not probable that any of the money that has been diverted from the city treasury can be recovered.

DIED.

On Nov. 16, at the home of her brother, W. B. Craycroft, near Turpin station, of chronic trouble, Mrs Ella Bainter, wife of John Bainter, of Warrensburg, aged 58 years.

Mrs. B. two weeks ago went to the home of her brother to attend the funeral of Jessie Craycroft, her niece, and was taken sick. She could not be moved, and died away from her home. She leaves a husband and five children.

The funeral will take place from Salem church west of Decatur, Friday, at 11 a. m., Rev. M. Auer officiating. The cortege will leave the residence at 9 a. m.

THE Salvation Army at Pekin has a hot soup dinner annex to its gospel meetings.

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Paper Hangers and Frescoers.

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JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

TO-DAY.

CLOAKS.

Our cloak trade has more than doubled that of a year ago. It tells, "Our garments fit well and are reasonable in prices and the newest styles."

$5 will buy a good Black or Tan Reefer Jacket.

$7.50 will buy a nice Fur Trimmed Jacket, Tan or Black, good length.

$10 will buy an elegant Tan or Black Fur Collar Reefer Jacket, worth $12.50.

See our Fur Capes at $6.50, $7.50 and $10 each.

Muffs at 75c, $1, $1.50, $2, to $5 each.

DRESS GOODS.

48 cents buys a choice lot Wool Chev ons, Storm Serges, Bedford Cords and Homespuns, that we've been selling at 60c to 75c a yard, for two days only.

TABLE LINENS.

48 cents choice lot of Red, Cream and White Damask to-day at 48c, worth 65c.

BLANKETS.

We've got the best values shown in the city.

See our drives at 95c, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3 and $3.50.

We have a special value in a White, Scarlet, or Sanitary Grey Blanket, at $5 a pair.

UNDERWEAR.

50 cents buys an elegant Merino Vest for a lady or a shirt for a gentleman.

75 cents an All Wool Natural Grey Vest for a lady or shirt for gent—usually sold at $1.25.

COMFORTS.

Comforts at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2. Splendid values.

Calicoes at 5c. Choice line of New Standard Prints at 5c, good dark styles, worth 7c to-day only.

Cotton Batting at 10c today, that usually sells at 12½c to 15c.

DON'T GET INTO THE WRONG STORE.

REMEMBER 151 NORTH WATER STREET.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

THE GREAT REMODELING SALE

Is Still Going On

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

The way in which the people are taking advantage of the sale conclusively proves that the people of Decatur and the surrounding country are fully awake to their own interests, and know a GOOD THING when they see it.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS

will be offered this week in HEAVY SUITS and OVERCOATS.

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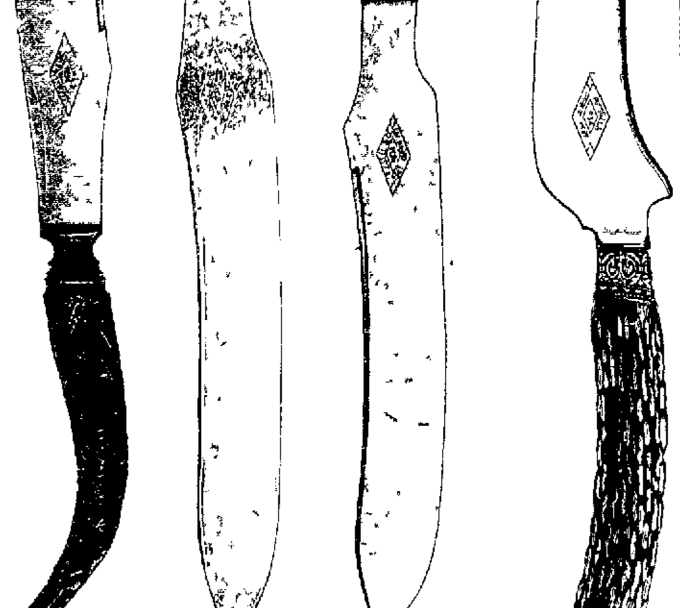

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Leading Jewelers.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER.

We can make you a suit or Overcoat made by the best tailors in the world. Every garment shrunk before making so as to hold shape, of which we guarantee.

CLOTHING for Men, Boys and Children in Ready Made---the cheapest to the very best made.

Call and see for yourselves before you purchase, as we will guarantee satisfactory results.

We are reaching for your trade and satisfaction will be guaranteed to every purchaser.

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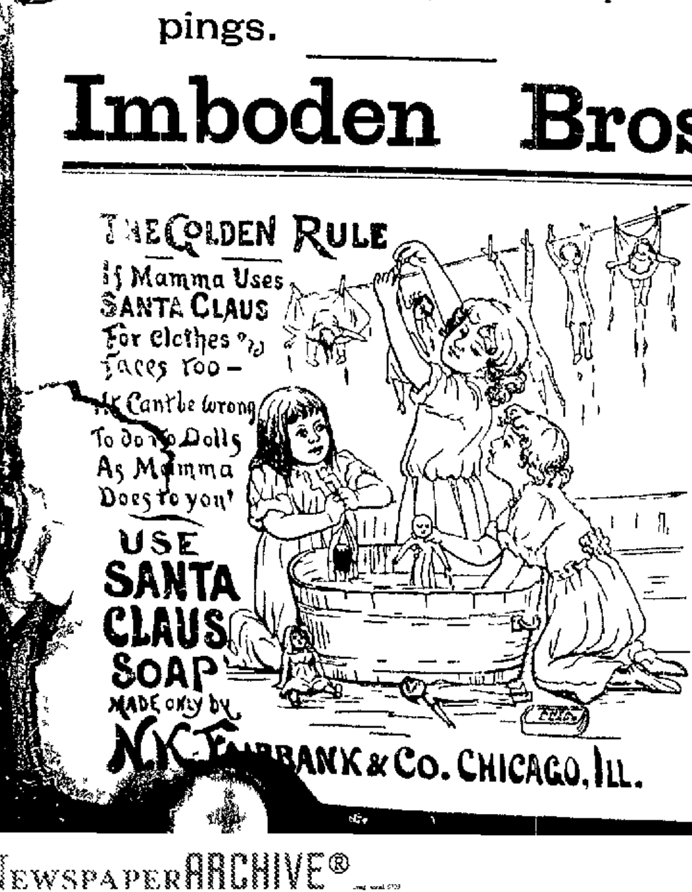

DAILY REPUBLICAN

FRESH OYSTERS

—AT—

WOOD'S.

THURSDAY EVE, NOV 17, 1892.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

25 Cents

Come and see about 50 styles of Decorated China Bread and Cake Plates placed on our bargain counter, all for 25 cents each E. D. BARTHOLOMEW

DENZ & SON tailors

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

SMOKE the old reliable K & W. cigar. mar26dtf

THE Paragon Oil Co Telephone 417

Try Powers' Good School Shoes.

"JANE" to night at the Grand will draw a large crowd

THE promised Hicks weather is with us Hicks guesses too well.

WE can accommodate ten more day boarders Palace, Syndicate block

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

PROF VAUGHT, the great phrenologist. Rooms crowded every day No 22 Syndicate Block 16 d6

CHOICE roses and Chrysanthemums at Adam Bulwer's North Union street greenhouse 16 d6*

CALL for the Little Rose and Bonquet cigars, made by Joseph Michl They are good ones

You can save 15 to 25 per cent on Underwear, Hosiery and Blankets, at ANTHONY & WEBB'S

JEWELS and watches to suit you at E J. Harpstrite's store on East Prairie street, near the postoffice 11 d6

TIME saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co 2 dtf

CHEAP CHARLEY is the Decatur agent for the celebrated Dr Jaros hygienic underwear Call and see it

I HAVE used Salvation Oil in my family and find it to be a splendid liniment Mrs Ella Journey, 728 6th St, Portsmouth, Va.

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

SAVE money on Union Underwear and Equestrian tights, cut prices at ANTHONY & WEBB'S

LOST—A pair of Riding Bow nickel spectacles Finder will please leave at O E Curtis & Bro's store

STEP in at E J Harpstrite's jewelry store on East Prairie street See the elegant display of holiday goods Prices low 11-d6

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish Pearl Oyster & Fish Co, 243 North Main street Telephone 344. dtf

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS will find a full line of *C E Spoons, Pins and Charms* at our store

OTTO E CURTIS & BRO

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company has been moved to No 250 North Main street, Syndicate Block with Armstrong Bros. d6t

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5 dtf

THE up town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros' drug store in the Syndicate block, telephone 242 Send in orders s8dtf

THE invitations were issued to-day for a fashionable dancing party to be given Friday evening, November 25th, by Mr and Mrs J W Race, Mrs. Lewis Race and Mrs G D Thomas at the Race residence on West Main street

Blue Mound News

Frank Taylor of Boody, was in town Monday patronizing some of our merchants

Raymond Moffitt of Madison precinct, transacted business here Tuesday

I D Eesler moved to Maroa last week to take a position as clerk in a store there

Frank Leak of Latham, drove over here on business Sunday

J H Baugh has secured a position as clerk in O F Johnson's store in place of I D Fesler, removed

O E McElroy sold his interest in the *Independent* to Frank Leak, of Latham, last Sunday

J N Randall delegate from Blue Mound Lodge 595 I O O F went to Springfield Tuesday to attend the Grand Lodge in session in that city this week.

Fred Lehman and wife were in Decatur Tuesday on a shopping expedition

There are as yet only two petitions in circulation for the appointment as postmaster at this place under the next administration, but it is understood that there are at least four others who will be in the field in due time, and as but one of them can get the coveted position, one can easily foresee the disappointment and soreness that will come to the five who get left

Mrs Lee Reemsnyder of Decatur came down this morning to spend the day with relatives

W. W. Fidd real estate agent, sold A L Gepford his residence property yesterday to Levi Morgan consideration $600

D L McCluskey has made a large tin horn to be tooted in the Democratic jollification this evening, it is 8 feet long and 12 inches in diameter at the bas, and it is said that Johnny McClure will submit a proposition to a half dozen applicants for the postoffice before the blowing commences, to the effect that the fellow who can make the instrument be heard the greatest distance shall have a clear field the others to withdraw from the contest If this proposition be accepted the horn will be heard at Boody and Morgansville distinctly enough to cause the fox hounds in those localities to take up the refrain and the wild cats along the Sangamon will wail a mew and then hunt their holes.

Nov 21, 92

Dinner Sets.

Visit our Thanksgiving sale of *Dinner Sets, Carving Sets, Cranberry, Salad and Celery Dishes* We offer 300 English Dinner Sets at $8.00, 100 Vienna and Carlsbad China Dinner Sets at $18 up, 75 Haviland China Dinner Sets from $33 up OTTO E CURTIS & BRO

The Fitness of Things

In the park—the military band is playing Lady to her daughter "Pay attention, the clarinet solo is about to commence; put on a sentimental air!"

Turner Suits

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

THE ENDEAVOR CONVENTION

It Will Open To-Night at the Presbyterian Church.

GATHERING OF CHRISTIAN WORKERS.

National and State Officers—The Society Platform and Pledge—Arrival and Assignment of Visitors—Programme for To-Night.

The sixth annual convention of the Illinois Christian Endeavor Union will commence this evening in the audience room of the new First Presbyterian church, and will continue in session until Sunday night It will be a notable gathering of earnest christian workers, young people who have consecrated their lives to labor for "Christ and the church," the convention verse being "And they saw no man save Jesus only" The Endeavor societies throughout the nation have gained marvelously in numbers and influence

PLATFORM AND PRINCIPLES

First and Foremost—Personal devotion to our divine Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

Second—Utmost loyalty to their respective denominations on the part of all Christian Endeavor Societies

Third—Steadfast personal love and service for the local church in which a society of Christian Endeavor exists The church for each local society is the local church with which it is connected

Fourth—Inter denominational spiritual fellowship among evangelical denominations, setting forth their spiritual unity in Jesus Christ.

Fifth—Inasmuch as the name "Christian Endeavor" by a marvelous and triumphant trial and history of ten years, has come to mean the definite pledge for the weekly prayer meeting, the monthly consecration service, and the work of the lookout committee, we earnestly urge that in all christian fairness, societies which adopt substantially these methods adopt also the name "Christian Endeavor" and that this name be not applied to other methods of work.

We believe that the Christian Endeavor Society has earned the exclusive right to its own name and its own principles and methods.

ACTIVE MEMBERS' PLEDGE

Trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ I promise Him that I will strive to do whatever He would like to have me do, that I will make it the rule of my life to pray and to read the Bible every day, and to support my own church in every way, especially by attending all her regular Sunday and mid-week services unless prevented by some reason which I can conscientiously give my Savior, and that just so far as I know how throughout my whole life, I will endeavor to lead a Christian life. As an active member I promise to be true to all my duties, to be present at and to take some part, aside from singing, in every Christian Endeavor prayer meeting, unless hindered by some reason which I can conscientiously give to my Lord and Master If obliged to be absent from the monthly consecration meeting of the society, I will, if possible, send at least a verse of scripture to be read in response to my name at the roll call

National Officers—Rev F E Clark, D D, president, Boston, J Willis Baer, secretary, Boston William Shaw, treasurer, Boston

Illinois State Officers—Charles B Holdrege, president, Chicago, Col C F. Mills, secretary, Springfield, J W Howell, treasurer, Evanston

Decatur Christian Endeavor Union—I N Martin, jr, president, Miss Hattie J Brown, vice-president, Miss Maud L Calhoun, secretary, Miss Anna B Henkle, corresponding secretary, Wilbur Humphrey, treasurer; Miss Lillian B. Irwin, district secretary.

Committee of '92—Representing the Decatur Christian Endeavor Union—Rev. W H Penhallegon, general chairman, Miss Mary E Lewis, secretary, Miss Lillian B Irwin, entertainment, Miss Hattie J Brown, reception, I N Martin, jr, press and printing, Miss Alice Tyler, church, D. A Strader, finance

ARRIVAL OF DELEGATES

The various committees on entertainment were busy to-day in the lecture room of the First M. E church registering delegates and assigning them to places of entertainment at the hotels and homes of citizens The work has been reduced to a system by Miss Lewis, and she is ably assisted by a number of young people

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT

The following will be the order of exercises for the opening of the convention at the Presbyterian church.

4 00 p m—Special prayer service of State and District Officers, Decatur committee and pastors, in the lecture room of First Presbyterian church

7 00—Service of song, led by L P Lindsay, of St. Louis.

7 30—Opening exercises

7 45—Words of Welcome—Chairman of Decatur Committee, Rev W H Penhallegon, pastor of First Presbyterian church Response—by the State President

8 00—Convention Sermon—Rev. David James Burrell, D D, pastor Collegiate Reformed Church, New York City

9 15—Meeting of State Ex Committee in state headquarters in First Presbyterian church

RECEPTION COMMITTEES.

The following committees have been named for the Columbian receptions to be held at three different churches Saturday evening

First Baptist Church—Rev and Mrs Chas E Torrey, Dr and Mrs. H H. Oneal, Rev and Mrs J A F King, Misses Blanche Oneal, Anna Henkle, Carrie Clark, Lillian Corman, May Kitchen, Orpha Kitchen, Retta Robbins, Nora Crawford, Mabel Wilson, Ethel Dimock, Minnie Bachman, Mame Freeman, Mrs Nellie Agate, and Messrs I N Martin, jr, Gus Wilmeth, Adolph Mueller, Carroll McIntyre, Wm McGee, S S DeLaughter, Leon Livingston, Ernest Skinner

First Presbyterian Church—Dr. and Mrs W H Penhallegon, Rev and Mrs W. C Miller, Rev and Mrs. E. B. Kuntz, Misses Hattie J Brown, Lillian Irwin, Mary E Lewis, Annie Schaub, Lillie Chadsey, Mattie Weaver, Carrie Knapp, Abbie Pratt, Carrie Powers, Jessie Angel, Mary Colby, Eva Logue, Elfa Draper, Mr. and Mrs. R G Wells, Mr and Mrs. R J. Simpson, Mr and Mrs. E. A. West, and Messrs E. P. Irving, Hugh Bone, Walter Adams, Dr. James Henderson, C M. Goltra, Bert Colby.

First M. E. Church—Rev and Mrs T A Parker, Rev and Mrs. James Miller, Rev. and Mrs. C. F Rogers, Rev. and Mrs E. B Cake, Mrs. Mattie Blaine, Mrs Braden, Misses Fannie Cake, Nettie Pritchett, Virginia Odor, Flo Elliott, Lou Bear, Eva Smithson, Lottie Stare, Minnie Davis, Flora Smith, Lissa Jones, Maud Calhoun, Irene Nims, Miss Glore, and Messrs. James Lindsay, Wilbur Humphrey, C F Mansfield, A C Smith, D. A. Strader, S W Lehman, Wilbur Dawson, W H Hubbard, Geo. Tucker.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC

Regular conclave of Beaumanoir Commandery No 9, K. T., this (Thursday) evening at 7 00 o'clock. All Knights Templars in regular standing are invited. W. J. WAYNE, E C. N. L. KRONE, Rec.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. M Huff, of Chicago, is in the city.

H. W. Fenton has returned from Chicago.

C. H. Bachrach has returned from Chicago.

Bob Ferguson is in Minneapolis on business.

Rev U. Warrington arrived in the city last night

Dr O F. Gorman is confined to his home by sickness

C. M Lytle was in Springfield yesterday on business

Wm. Whittington is in Bloomington to-day on business

W L Shellabarger was in Cerro Gordo on business yesterday

Mrs Everett J Brown is visiting relatives in Jacksonville

Mrs B O McReynolds is visiting relatives in Bloomington

Dr Will Tobey returned last night to his home in Danville

Miss Jessie Ingels of Chatham is in the city visiting Miss Pritchett

B S. Freeman of Boston is in the city visiting James Freeman and family

Dr S R May of Mt Zion headed a large delegation from his town to-day.

Miss Etta Walker, of Bloomington, is the guest of Rev Jas Miller and family

Mrs W W Burt and son of Chicago are guests of C M Caldwell and family

John Freeman and A T Wilson returned to day to their home in Moweaqua

Miss Edith Lytle has returned from an extended visit with relatives in the east

Mrs J W Crane departed to day for Chicago to visit her sister, Mrs John W Wood

Mrs W. F Busher, who visited her daughter at Mt Pulaski, arrived home last night.

Rev M S McCoy of Bement is in town to day, showing Decatur to a visiting brother

Mrs Frank Stafford, of Champaign, arrived in the city to day to visit Jesse Leforgee and family

Harry Kizer, bookkeeper at the B Mueller Plumbing and Heating Company's offices, is on the sick list

Miss Nellie Kellar, of Minneapolis and Mrs Porter, of Chicago, are in the city visiting J W Race and family

Miss Mabel Miller, of Blue Mound left this morning for Lafayette Ind where she will visit Miss Hattie Blume

Theo Nelson has gone to New Orleans to rest up Mr Nelson was secretary of the Democratic State Central committee

Miss Edna Haines of Champaign and Miss Belle Enlass of Mason City are the guests of Miss Nannie Truax at the Hotel Brunswick.

W R Gilchrist, well known in Decatur, has sold his stock of boots and shoes at Lincoln, and may travel for a whole sale house.

Mrs Kittie Weidline, of Geneseo, a delegate to the State Endeavor convention, is a guest of her uncle, W F Calhoun and family

Mrs Berry Serle, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs Frank Shlandeman, left to day for her home in Montrose, Pa

Ed H Bassey, of Chicago, is among the Christian Endeavor delegates attending the convention He is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs E. C Bassey

Miss Kate Elliott, of Litchfield, arrived in the city to day to visit Mrs L A Mills. Miss Elliott will attend the opening reception and dance at the Calumet club this evening.

Mrs J. E Bering and Mrs B O McReynolds attended a reception yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr and Mrs H D Spencer, 712 West Mulberry street, Bloomington.

Mrs W H Elwood will give a reception Tuesday afternoon, November 22d, at her home at No 724 West William street The hours are from 2 to 3 30 o'clock and from 3 30 until 5 o'clock

Dick Smith who is on duty as operator temporarily at the Western Union telegraph office as a substitute for Charles Millspaugh, may go to St Louis to accept a permanent position when Millspaugh returns

Mr and Mrs Frank W Caldwell, who were united in marriage Tuesday evening, Nov 15th, at Monticello, Ill, will be "at home" to their friends after Saturday, Dec 10 at 623 West Main street, Decatur, Ill

J E Saxton left to-day for Chicago on business He received an urgent telegram from Santa Claus this morning and he took the first train for that city to arrange for his annual appearance in this city, December 25

Attorney Wm Chitty of Chicago, who has been in the city visiting Harry Shlandeman, left to day for his home Mr Chitty was a member of the Democratic state central committee The gentlemen were former school chums at Champaign

Gen. Sherman's St Louis Home

The residence property of Gen W T Sherman in St Louis, which was presented to him by some of his admirers, was sold at auction last week to F A Drew Since that time a movement has been made looking toward securing it for a museum The St Louis *Post Dispatch* publishes the following concerning the matter

There is a strong probability that Gen Sherman's former mansion, No 912 Garrison avenue, which was recently purchased by F A Drew for $15,000, will become the property of the old General's former comrades in arms and be made a museum of Sherman relics Mr Henry Fenerbach, the contractor, went to Mr Drew on behalf of Ransom Post, G A R and obtained an option on the property at the price which Mr Drew paid for it Mr Feuerbach has called a meeting of the many friends of Gen Sherman, to be held in the Sherman residence, Friday evening, to take measures for the purchase of the house The Army of the Tennessee, Gen. Sherman's old command, will meet in St Louis to-morrow and the members of the organization will be induced to help in the work Gen Sherman's son, Tecumseh, is in the city to take part in the Army of the Tennessee encampment and he has been interested in the effort to buy his father's old home The family will give what relics they have and many memorials of Gen Sherman will be obtained from the veterans of the Tennessee Army A hall will probably be built on Bell avenue, where the stable now is, and the rooms filled with Sherman relics

Sales of Real Estate.

United States to G W Gepford, the east half of the southeast quarter of block 10, and the west half of the south west quarter 10 in 16, 1 west

Thos. Grove to Mathew Creighton, 8 acres in the west half of lot 8 in 16, 17, 4 east—$150

Mary A Jostes to Elijah L Streeney, lot 8, 9 and 10 in block 5 in village of Boody—$575

Julia A. Williams to A S Kazar, lot 16 in block 2, Julia A Williams' second addition to Decatur—$500.

Harry H Platt to Samuel I. Fields, deed to lot 7, block 5, Enterprise addition—$300

Ann H Shelly to H. H Platt, deed to above lot—$275

Ann H Shelly to John O. Corson, deed to lot 5, block 5, Enterprise addition—$250.

Ann H Shelly to W. M. Lewis et al, deed to lots 16 and 17, block 1, Northside Park addition—$800

Ann H Shelly to Mrs. F. A. Rosenberg, deed to lot 1, block 1, Enterprise addition—$350

Abbott A. Reeves to J. T. McCown, deed to lot in block 3, Packard's addition—$200.

Abbott A. Reeves to J. T. McCown, deed to part of lot in block 3, Packard's addition—$200.

COMBINATION HORSE SALE.

Standard and High-Bred Trotters, Colts and Fillies Under the Hammer.

The combination sale of horses belonging to D. W and Eli Brenneman, J. L. Connelly, A. S. Waltz and R R. Montgomery, is in progress to-day at the Baker Auditorium, with Tobey Ward as auctioneer, George Keller clerk. The attendance is large and the bidding is somewhat spirited at intervals. The sales made up to 2 o'clock this afternoon were as follows:

McKinley, foaled '92, bred by Montgomery, sold to H. C. Wallace, Decatur, $60.

Henry Gould, foaled '91, bred by Waltz, sold to W. A Cochran, Decatur, $66.

Maud, foaled in '86, owned by Connelly sold to F E. Wilson, Macon, $127.

Pair of brown geldings, 3 and 4 years old, owned by Brenneman Bros, sold to F E Wilson, Macon, $149

Nora C, foaled '87, owned by Connelly, sold to W T Downing, Decatur, $121.

Bay gelding, 2 years old, owned by Brenneman & Bro., sold to S A Crossman, Warrensburg, $71

Eve, a bay filley, owned by Montgomery, sold to W H Williams, Emery, $70

Daniel, foaled '91, owned by Waltz, sold to James Millikin, Decatur, $107

Mattie S, a sorrel filley, owned by Connelly, sold to P F. Talbott, Harristown, $125

Bay gelding, 2 year old, owned by Brenneman & Bro, sold to W J Boughman, Ft Wayne, Ind, $50

Roy Hamlet, foaled in '92, owned by Connelly, sold to W. T. Downing, Decatur, $75

Bay gelding, two years old, owned by Brenneman & Bro, sold to Henry Koons, Decatur, $90

Belle Kramer, foaled in '81, owned by Connelly, sold to C A. Caskey, Windsor, Ill, $75 50

Felice, foaled in '88, bred by Montgomery, sold to William Perry, Todd's Point, Ill, $133

There are altogether 46 animals to be sold

DEATH AT A JUBILEE.

[SPECIAL TO REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, Nov 17—At a Democratic celebration at Montainview, Ark., fire works stored in shell exploded, wrecking a school house, killing five persons and seriously injuring fifteen others

Leonard Assembly To night

The following program of dance will be observed to-night at the Prof Leonard Assembly at Abbott's hall

Promenade and Majestic Polanaise	New
Waltz	
Lancers	Standard
Wentworth	New
Rock and Rye	
Harvard Gavotte	New
Spanish Yorke	
Lancers	Diagonal
Manitou	New
Waltz	Polka Dot
La Petit Pavane	New
Oxford	
Quadrille	Standard
Waltz Lancers	
Polka, Polonaise	New
La Coquette	
Carlyle	New
Waltz	Home, Good Night

All the new dances will be exemplified by Prof Leonard and daughters, Carrie and Marie

Preparing the Columbian Stamps

The postoffice department is working steadily on the new series of stamps to be known as the "Columbus series" for use during the World's Columbian exposition, but has not yet completed the arrangements of the various important events in the life of America's discoverer to be illustrated on the stamps which will run in the denominations of from 1 cent to $5. The cause of the difficulty in the arrangement of the illustrations is in regard to placing the selections according to chronological events and in deciding upon which likeness of Columbus to use, there being numerous portraits to select from The matter will be a special feature in the annual report of Third Assistant Postmaster General Hazen

Wedded at Jacksonville.

Mrs C A Ewing and Miss Belle Ewing arrived home last night from Jacksonville where yesterday they attended the wedding and reception of Hon Thomas Worthington, of Pittsfield, and Miss Miriam Morrison, daughter of Hon. I L Morrison. The bride has frequently visited in Decatur, and the groom was here with the Major McKinley party in October The members of the L. Burrows family were among the invited friends The marriage was the fashionable event of the year in Jacksonville society Mr Worthington is a leading attorney of Pike county, and is a gentleman of wealth and high culture

On the Ground Floor.

The court house committee to-day located the state's attorney's office in the new building Mr Mills was assigned two rooms on the ground floor, under the tower, with windows facing Wood and Water streets The rooms are quite large and will be quite convenient for people having business with the state's attorney.

Coal Will Not Advance.

Coal dealers are of the opinion that there will be no advance in the price of coal, at least during the present month. There is especially a scarcity of bituminous coal, caused by the phenomenal growth of manufacturing industries, but even with this state of affairs dealers do not anticipate much of a rise in price.

Fifer will Settle in Bloomington

A special from Bloomington says upon authority of Isaac N. Phillips that at the close of Gov. Fifer's administration he will return to Bloomington and the old law firm of Fifer & Phillips will be revived to practice in that city.

5 O'Clock Teas.

Twenty different styles of 5 o'clock teas 375 styles of A. D coffees, also the correct thing in 5 o'clock just opened E D. BARTHOLOMEW.

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The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by B Z Taylor who fills all orders promptly by direct wire

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ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Nov.	71⅝	71⅝	71¼	71½
Dec	72⅞	72⅞	72⅛	72
May	79	79⅛	78½	78¾
CORN—				
Nov.	41⅝	41⅝	41¼	41¼
Dec	42	42	41⅝	41⅝
May.	47⅛	47⅛	46⅝	46¾
OATS—				
Nov	31¼	31¼	30⅞	30[illegible]
Dec	31⅝	31⅝	31	[illegible]1
May	36⅛	36[illegible]	35⅞	35⅞
PORK—				
Dec,	12 30	12 35	12 3[illegible]	12 35
Jan	13 80	14 00	13 80	14 00
May	14 00	14 10	14 00	14 10
LARD—				
Nov	9 07	9 37	9 07	9 30
Jan		8 17	8 17	8 17
RIBS—				
Nov				
Jan	7 02	7 17	7 12	7 12

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS

Wheat all grades 192.

Corn all grades 209

Oats all grades 165

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW

Wheat 190 Corn, 220, Oats 150

Hogs 21 000.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Hogs 24 000, steady

Cattle 15 000 steady

But little doing in the market New York houses advise buying May wheat Wheat decline ½ Corn ⅛ Oats ⅛. Milmine & Bodman heavy sellers of corn above 47 cents

Illinois Woman's Columbian Club

The next meeting of the Macon County Columbian Club will be held at the Woman's Club rooms November 25, at 2 30 p.m. Rev James Miller will deliver an address on the "Evolution of Government." All are invited

MRS J E BERING, Pres

E. C PHILBROOK, Sec

No 2, Y M. C A Star Course,

Monday night, at the Grand Opera House Ora J Gould, humorist, lectures on *"You Can't Help It, to Save Your Life"* Reserved seat plat opens at Templeton's Friday, November 18 Admission, 50 cents 17 d2t

Prohibition Club

The Prohibition club will meet to night in Library Block to discuss the question "Is the outlook encouraging," and to talk about plans for the spring campaign There will be good music and all are invited to attend

Thanksgiving Dinner

You will relish your Thanksgiving dinner a (leetle) bit better if your bread and cakes are made out of White Foam flour Manufactured by the Hatfield Milling company 17 d1w

Merino and Cashmere Underwear, the largest and best assorted stock, at lower prices than anywhere, at Linn & Scruggs D G. & C. Co. d&w

Prof. Vaught's Lectures

Every evening this week in the Syndicate Block, 8 o'clock Admission free 16d6

ADVERTISING TEST NO. 2.

The two advertising tests we have made this week convince us that the people appreciate the tempting offers we have made. We continue these tests another week and now we offer one more:

We have sold the JAMES A. BANISTER SHOE for men at Five Dollars all the time and we can get the same price for them almost any time because they are as good shoes as are made anywhere by anybody. But if you will cut out this advertisement and bring it with you or bring the paper containing it, we will sell you a pair of these famous Banister Shoes for men at FOUR DOLLARS ONLY. Here's an easy way to save a dollar and get excellent shoes.

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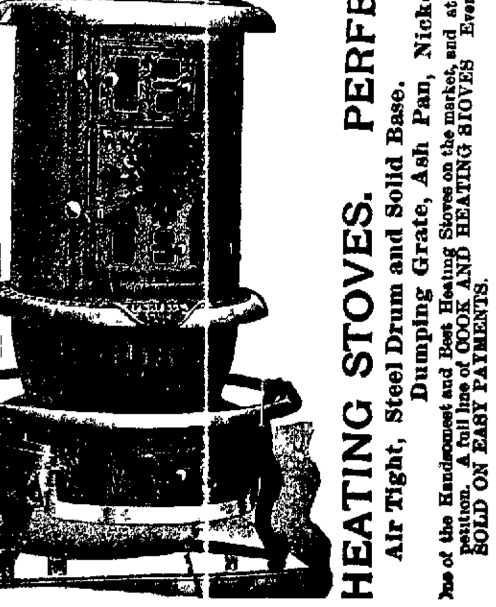

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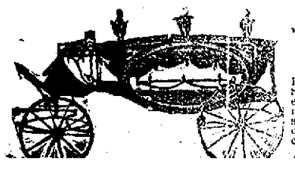

J. B. BULLARD,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of the art. Calls night or day will receive prompt attention. In connection a respectable assistant. Residence—242 West William street.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The President's Anxiety for the Success of His Party.

REORGANIZATION WITHOUT CHANGE

Of Policy—The Special Session Question—Instructions to Collectors—Gen. Rosecrans' Illness—Mr. Carter Calls on the President.

Anxious for the Success of His Party.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Officials and others who have talked with President Harrison since the election say that he takes a deep interest and an active part in the consideration of plans for the future conduct of the republican party. They say that in all their talks with them the president's utterances have tended to encourage them to activity in the work of organizing and strengthening the party. There has been, they say, no despondency in what he has said and he wastes no time in vain regrets, but is earnest in the feeling that more than ever there is need for compactness and unity of purpose in the party.

The discussion of the re-organization in the sense, not of change in principle or policy, but of perfecting the management and methods, has already been taken up by leading republicans, and correspondence looking to the strengthening of the organization has begun.

A permanent organization, with workers who will keep up the work all the year round and every year, instead of trying to do the work of four years in the few months before a presidential election is what is aimed at.

Representative W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, chairman of the democratic committee, a leading member of the committee on ways and means, against whose re-election, a particularly vigorous fight was waged by the republicans of that state, and whose name has been mentioned as the probable attorney-general in President Cleveland's cabinet, strongly favors the calling of a special session of congress to consider tariff legislation.

"The true worth and value of a tariff bill," he said, "cannot be tested in a short time, and the effects are sometimes supposed to be what they are not. I think it would be most impolitic to place a new tariff bill before the country just before the election of 1896. For this reason I favor the extra session idea, and think the sooner the proposed tariff changes go into effect the better will the final result be for our party."

Senator Carlisle, who is known as one of Mr. Cleveland's closest political associates, was in Washington yesterday, on route to Chicago, where he goes to visit his son's family. He knows nothing of the intention of the president-elect respecting an extra session of congress, but Senator Carlisle said he did not believe Mr. Cleveland could tell whether or not he would call an extra session. It would all depend upon conditions not yet developed, and which in the nature of things could not develope until later on. "If there is an extra session," he said, "it will probably not meet until late in the fall. It depends on circumstances. The tariff alone will not furnish sufficient reason for an extra session. The financial affairs of the government may be in such shape as to make an extra session imperative. It appears probable that we shall find that there is not enough money in the treasury for the needs of the government. There is a situation in the treasury which every thoughtful man who has considered the matter has foreseen. There is an accumulation of deficiencies and obligations that have been contracted and will come over to us.

"It may be that this situation will furnish reason enough why an extra session should be called. We shall have to see what congress does at this session. If they do not repeal the Sherman law relating to the purchase of silver, and take such other action as the situation demands, we may be swamped. Upon these things depend the calling of an extra session."

A Circular of Instructions to Collectors of Customs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Acting Secretary Spaulding of the treasury department has issued a circular to collectors of customs in regard to entry of vessels carrying immigrants. According to this circular the department has received authentic assurances that the danger of cholera infection still exists, and that the measures of precaution which have been heretofore observed cannot be materially relaxed without imperiling the public safety.

The objections to the unrestricted admission of steerage immigrants do not apply to vessels in which the steerage is occupied by the limited number of citizens and residents of the United States and their families who are likely to avail themselves of the cheaper fares afforded by steerage tickets in returning to this country.

Gen. Rosecrans' Illness.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Gen. Rosecrans, register of the treasury, has been confined to his hotel for two weeks suffering from nervous prostration. He did not respond as rapidly as usual to medical treatment and his friends feared that he would be stricken with paralysis, slight symptom of which appeared. He was reported yesterday, however, as being much better, the dangerous symptoms having disappeared. As soon as he is strong enough he will go to Fortress Monroe, or take a trip to the Bermudas to recuperate.

Chairman Carter Calls on the President.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Chairman Carter, of the republican national committee, called at the White House yesterday afternoon and had an extended interview with the president. Aside from the discussion of political matters, it is understood the president consulted with Mr. Carter as to filling the vacancy of commissioner of the general land office.

GOT THE GRAND BOUNCE.

Petroff, the Adventurer, Discharged from the Census Office.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Superintendent of Census Robert P. Porter yesterday afternoon discharged Ivan Petroff, the special agent who prepared the reports of Alaska for the tenth and eleventh censuses. In his letter to the secretary of the interior Mr. Porter says:

"Having acquainted myself with all the facts in relation to this matter I regret to say that I see no extenuating circumstances, and, therefore, ask your approval of my action."

Mr. Porter further said that a complete history of Petroff's action in regard to state department transaction precludes the supposition which he had entertained before making a thorough examination of the case, that Petroff was suffering from mental depression or insanity.

Prof. James H. Blodgett, of the census office, has been placed in charge of the Alaska work and will, after carefully verifying it in every particular, superintend its final publication.

The accuracy of this report does not depend on Petroff, as many other experts, special agents and enumerators were employed.

Secretary Noble yesterday afternoon approved Superintendent Porter's action.

In regard to the alleged charges against Mr. Howard Sutherland, Superintendent Porter says he has heard nothing save newspaper rumor. He pronounced the alleged confession of Sutherland as most likely a "fake," and believes that the whole story has been greatly exaggerated.

STEEL AND IRON.

The Iron Age on the Condition and Prospects of Trade.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The Iron Age says to-day:

The excitement incident to the election has naturally tended to a quiet week, emphasizing the dullness which has been caused for some time past through the previous covering of requirements for the balance of the year, and for the first quarter of 1893. This has been notably true in pig iron and soft steel. In finished iron and steel markets have been well supplied with work thus far, but in some lines and in some sections are growing uneasy about full employment during the winter season. The latter generally shows some falling off in consumption, particularly in all branches in which outdoor work is necessary. Pig iron is steady in all the leading markets but is quiet so far as new transactions are concerned. Buyers have well covered, and sellers are comfortably off for orders. The former have in their favor the approach of the duller season and growing production, while the latter can point to the fact that thus far consumption has exceeded all expectations. There have been some sales in the Pittsburgh market and in eastern Pennsylvania of Bessemer pig. An interesting transaction is reported of the buying, for six months' delivery, of a large quantity of Bessemer pig by a street rail mill for conversion into blooms at a tonnage rate, by an adjoining large steel plant.

Billets have been quiet, with further reports of good prices paid for spot stock. Rumors are afloat, however, that two leading brands of the Pittsburgh district have been offered for prompt delivery at a price which is close to the lowest quoted during the past six months.

Our Philadelphia correspondent reflects the complaints of some buyers, that the mills are postponing deliveries on old contracts in order to avail themselves of the opportunity to sell spot steel at better figures.

Muck bars are showing an easier tendency in eastern Pennsylvania but are reported as being steady and quite active in the Pittsburgh district. Eastern steel rail mills record the first moderate-sized transactions for some time and the Chicago mills claim to be well supplied with orders for some time to come. There is no indication as yet that the usual demand for renewals on the part of the trunk lines will soon appear in the markets. The majority of the mills depend upon it for winter work.

Bars are weakening a little in the eastern and in the Chicago markets. Structural iron and steel is dull in all sections so far as new business is concerned. Our Chicago correspondent records a somewhat unusual transaction. A local mill has sold 200 tons of beams for New York delivery.

The pipe trade has received some very good orders lately and shows considerable activity with a possibility of some advance in the price.

Old material is again quiet in all markets, the recent interest in it having subsided.

We print in our metal report some interesting statistics of production of copper, which go far to explain the hardening tendency. Tin has declined and lead is slow and weaker.

THANKSGIVING.

Gov. Fifer of Illinois Issues His Thanksgiving Proclamation.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 17.—Gov. Fifer yesterday issued the following proclamation:

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
SPRINGFIELD, Nov. 15.

During the year now drawing to a close the people of this commonwealth have been the recipients of many blessings. The fields have brought forth bountiful harvests; the mines have yielded rich returns, and industry in every department of labor has met with liberal reward. Health, peace and prosperity have prevailed throughout our borders. Divine Providence has dealt kindly and graciously with the citizens of this favored state, and gratitude should fill every heart for the benefits bestowed upon us by an all-wise Creator.

Now, therefore, I, Joseph W. Fifer, governor of the state of Illinois, in conformity with the president's proclamation, do appoint the 24th day of November, A. D., 1892, a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God for the mercies and blessings of the year. And I call upon the people to lay aside their usual avocations, and in their homes and in their preferred places of worship devoutly return thanks to the Giver of all good for the many mercies and blessings of the year. In our rejoicing let us not forget the poor and needy, but open our hearts and purses to the wants of the destitute and unfortunate, and may our charity be generous to all who are suffering and in distress.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of state this, the fifteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and seventeenth.

JOSEPH W. FIFER, Governor.
By J. N. PEARSON, Secretary of State.

A Struggle for the Mastery.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial union were in executive session all day yesterday and the press censors had little to give out. Since adjournment it is learned that the two elements, democrats and populists, are still struggling for the mastery. It was learned that some acrimonious discussions were indulged in. The populist element seems dominant at present and is seeking to oust Mr. J. F. Tillman, of this state, a member of the national executive committee.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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A GRAVE MISTAKE.

A Russian Dignitary Arrested in San Francisco

AND THROWN INTO THE COMMON JAIL

With Vagrants and Drunks—Fined and Sentenced Without a Hearing—He Will Appeal to His Government for Redress.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—Evening papers publish an account of the arrest of Valdimir Nicholas Rumin, chief of the Siberian prisons, which took place yesterday morning. He wandered down to the city prison and not being able to speak good English his request to be allowed to enter the prison was misunderstood, and when he was arrested for drunkenness he made a most violent resistence. He was first placed in an ordinary cell with vagrants and drunks, but was afterwards put in a dark cell and there strapped to a cot in the prison hospital. This arrest occurred at 8 o'clock and at 10 o'clock an officer of the court pleaded guilty for him and he was sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars or serve twenty-four hours in the city prison.

When he was taken before the court last evening he was allowed to withdraw the plea that he had never entered and his case was dismissed. Those who are able to converse with him while he was in prison declare that there was no sign of intoxication about him. Rumins' family is said to be one of the oldest and most influential in Russia. His brothers are generals in the Russian army and one of them is in command of the guard at the czar's palace. He will appeal to his government to demand redress.

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS.

Yesterday's Meeting of the Socialist Congress in Berlin.

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—The socialist conference resumed its session yesterday in Concordia hall. Herr Liebknecht defended the management of the socialist organ, Voorwaerts, against the allegation of extravagance in the payment of employes. He said that the editors of the journal in question were utterly overworked, and, as for himself, he could gain three-fold the amount he now received, if liberated from the obligations of party duty.

Delegate Picp, of Alsace, complained earnestly of the exceptional law prevailing in Alsace and Lorraine, and which bore severely upon the members of the social democracy. He censured the socialist deputies in the reichstag for not interpellating the government on the subject, and thereby taking means to liberate their brethren from oppression.

Herr Singer read the report of what the social democratic party had done in the reichstag, and he proposed a resolution against the passage of the military bill. This aroused considerable debate.

Numerous resolutions for the consideration of the social democratic deputies in the reichstag were discussed by the congress. The first concerned the religious oath in judicial procedure, the subject of frequent differences between the social democracy and other German parties. A motion looking toward the abolition of the religious oath was assigned to the consideration of the parliamentary contingent, to be presented before the reichstag if such a course be deemed expedient. Another similiar resolution was directed against the lese majesta prosecutions and the law behind them.

Other resolutions submitted to the parliamentary contingent were in favor of state administration of dispensaries or, in other words, free medical treatment for the people; the publication of reports for every session of parliamentary work; the employment of female factory inspectors with the special view of protecting women in factories and ascertaining their peculiar needs more particularly than men inspectors can ascertain them; the treatment of laborers in state factories as state functionaries.

A question bordering on woman's suffrage of the parties' policy came up in the form of a resolution favoring women's meetings to return female delegates to social democratic congresses. This resolution was approved unanimously.

After a heated discussion the convention rejected a proposal that the party hold bienniel instead of annual congresses. August Bebel made a vehement speech against the proposed change.

Albin Gerisch read the report on May day. He proposed a resolution to the effect that the first Sunday after May 1, was the best day for the celebration.

The National Road Congress.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The National Road congress was called to order by President Millins and after the welcoming address and responses had been heard, the programme of the convention was announced to be a full discussion of the road question; the kind of roads; the character of paving; the use of convicts on public roads; the advisability of a bonded indebtedness as distinguished from slow progress and cash payments; the necessary legislation, and other points pertaining to road legislation.

These questions will be discussed by the various states represented.

The Smallpox in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Health department physicians have not much hope of the recovery of Martha Johnson, the smallpox patient at the pesthouse. They spent most of the day in vaccinating residents in the neighborhood of 362 North Fairfield avenue, from which house the patient was taken. So far there are no signs of any new cases and the authorities think there is no danger of an epidemic.

City News—Confidential.

For every hundred cents invested at *Abel's Carpet and Wall Paper House* last week in Carpets, Linoleums, Oil-Cloths, Mattings, and Wall Papers, each customer carried off more than a Dollar's worth: owing to the liberal patronage last week, we have decided to continue *Bargain-Day Sale* for one more week, beginning Monday Oct. 17th. Confining our trade to Dagastan, Byzantine, Saracenic, Kublai Furs and Smyrna *Rugs*.

Brussels, Irish Points, Tambour, Nottingham and Chenelle *Curtains*. d&w

A YEAR ago the Democrats prayed for church bells; now they are praying for

Secret Meeting of Homestead Strikers.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Nov. 17.—A meeting of the strikers who were members of the Amalgamated association was held at the rink yesterday afternoon. National officials of the Amalgamated association were present. The striking mechanics who are out in sympathy presented themselves at the door but were refused admittance.

The meeting was for the purpose of obtaining from the members of the Amalgamated association an individual expression of opinion on the present situation. Nothing of a definite character was done. They expect to arrive at some honorable conclusion to-day. The sentiment last night seemed to be that the men would vote to continue the struggle.

A Terrific Collision.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 17.—A special to the news from Brazil, Ind., says: "Yesterday morning the south-bound train on the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago railroad, due in this city at 7:40 a. m., while running at high speed, crashed into a flat car on the track at Logan, seven miles north of this city. The engine of the passenger train was badly broken and all the passengers were severely shaken up. As far as known no one was killed, but it was a miraculous escape. Traffic on this division of the Monon is greatly delayed."

The Presidency of the Farmers' Alliance.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The fight for the presidency of the Farmer's Alliance between Loucks and McCune is likely to result in the choice of some man not identified with either faction. Who it will be is in doubt so far, but there is every probability of a compromise when both Loucks and McCune see that they cannot win. Gov. Buchanan, of Tennessee, arrived here early yesterday morning and attended a secret conference, from which it is inferred that he may be after the position.

A Sheriff Murdered by a Negro.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 17.—Election day Duncan McPhatter, colored, and others created a riot at Spring Hill, Richmond county, he being the leader. Tuesday Sheriff Livingstone went to arrest him and while reading the warrant McPhatter knocked him down with a gun and then shot, killing him instantly. The murderer is still at large.

Employment for Two Thousand Men.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 17.—The Baltimore & Ohio Railway Co. yesterday gave orders which will result in the employment of at least 2,000 men in the various car shops of the company, and add $100,000 per month to the salary list in providing new equipments for the system.

Eleven Jurors Secured.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—The work of impaneling a jury for the second trial of Actor Curtis on the charge of murder was not completed yesterday. Eleven jurors have been obtained and the work will be resumed with a new venire of fifty to-day.

Obsequies of the Transcontinental Association.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—A funeral dirge was chanted over the Transcontinental association yesterday. All the members except two had sent in notices of withdrawal, but nearly all assembled yesterday and joined with the last two in the ceremonies. It was unanimously voted that Chairman Vining should close up the affairs of the association as soon after December 31 as possible. In no case should the association exist beyond February 28. The reason for the delay is owing to the compilation of statistics of traffic from which to make up the Pacific Mail steamship subsidy. All transcontinental traffic but that excepted by agreement is taxed a certain per cent. to make up the subsidy. It has been agreed to discontinue the subsidy December 31, but reports will not be complete enough to award percentages until February.

Tri-State Medical Association.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 17.—The Tri-State Medical association of Arkansas, Mississippi and Tennessee, opened its annual session yesterday. In lieu of an address the president, Dr. Webb, read a paper entitled: "A Plea for Woman." Several other papers were read and the meeting adjourned until to-day.

A House of Aluminium.

The Chicago leasehold trustees will erect upon their ground at the northwest corner of State and Madison streets a building the fronts of which will be composed of aluminium, bronze and glass. This will be the first instance of which this metal entered into the structure of a building. The building will have a frontage of 62½ feet on State and 100 on Madison and will be sixteen stories high. The aluminium columns will be of a soft gold color. The building will be of steel construction, and its interior will be finished in elegant style, including mosaic floors, marble walls, etc. The possibilities of aluminium have been pronounced infinite, but nevertheless the fact that it is to be used in the outer construction of a great office must excite extended notice.—New York Telegram.

The Ugliest Thing on Earth.

Nothing in life is so ugly as a man in a bathing suit. He is bad enough when he is well made, ridiculous when he is scranny, and appalling when his architecture is of the convex order. In the latter case, he always wears a horizontally striped suit. Then, when he sprawls on the sand at some girl's feet, half dirty and wholly repulsive, you want to kick him. Men must have very little vanity. You never catch a girl doing anything of that sort. They make for the bathhouses the moment they leave the water, like stones out of a catapult.—Exchange.

The Laureate's Birthhouse.

Lord Tennyson's birthplace, Somersby house, has been sold by auction. It is a beautiful property, with lovely grounds, and then there are its associations, for it was there that as a child the laureate made unconsciously his first line of poetry as he ran down the garden with his long curls flying in the breeze and called out, "I hear a voice that's speaking in the wind."—Ladies' Pictorial.

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DESPERATE BATTLE

Between Revolted Prisoners and Spanish Troops.

MANY OF THE LATTER BITE THE DUST

A Well-Planned Attempt at Wholesale Jail Delivery Only Thwarted by the Prompt Response and Brave Conduct of the Soldiers.

MADRID, Nov. 17.—During the past year several outbreaks among convicts have occurred in prisons in various parts of the country. Yesterday the most serious of all the series occurred in the prison at Tarragona, and nine of the convicts were killed.

The convicts have been dissatisfied with their treatment for some time and formed a plan for a general jail delivery. Ordinary convicts in Spanish prisons are allowed considerable freedom within the walls, and this practice allowed them in this case to carry their plan out.

Shortly after the prisoners were released from their cells yesterday morning they mutinied. At a signal from their leaders they sprang upon the warders, and the latter, taken completely by surprise, were soon overpowered. The convicts then had full possession of the prison with the exception of the quarters occupied by the governor. Before they could secure the keys that would give them their freedom the governor sent an urgent appeal for aid to the military authorities, who promptly responded by sending a detachment of troops to the scene.

When the soldiers arrived they found a majority of the convicts assembled in the court yard. The commander of the troops called upon the prisoners to return to their cells, but he was greeted with oaths and derisive yells. Again he ordered them to go back. The convicts, who had armed themselves with all manner of things that could be used as weapons, again refused to obey, and in a body advanced upon the soldiers, their enraged faces showing that they meant mischief. The rifles of the soldiers were loaded with ball cartridges, and as the convicts moved towards them orders were rapidly given them to fire. The order was obeyed.

Before the smoke had cleared away the convicts were upon the soldier and a desperate hand-to-hand fight followed. The convicts sought to wrest the weapons from the soldiers, but in this they were not successful. If they had been they probably would have driven the troops off and made their escape. Acting under orders from their commanders some of the soldiers retreated from the struggling, yelling mass of humanity and reloaded their guns. Then, awaiting an opportunity when there was no danger of hitting a comrade, they would fire upon the convicts. A perfect pandemonium reigned for the time, but finally most of the convicts were overpowered and driven, still cursing, back to their cells. Nine of the mutineers, however, had been shot dead and sixteen others were seriously wounded.

The affair has caused great excitement in the city, and it is demanded that the privileges of the convicts be curtailed.

While the fight was proceeding within the walls a close watch was kept by the police on the outside, and it was found that the convicts had made arrangements to receive aid in their attempt to gain their freedom. A close investigation will be made into the causes that led to the mutiny.

The New Council of Administration of the G. A. R.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 17.—The following gentlemen composing the executive committee of the new council of administration of the Grand Army of the Republic held their first meeting in this city yesterday: Commander-in-Chief Weissert, of Milwaukee; Sieb Gray, adjutant-general, Milwaukee; J. N. Taylor, quartermaster-general, Philadelphia; L. B. Raymond, Hampton, Ia.; H. I. Dietrich, Chicago; A. P. Burchfield, Pittsburgh; Jonathan McKelhey, Louisville; R. H. Cochran, of Toledo; H. C. Luther, of Providence, and W. H. Armstrong, of Indianapolis.

The work was confined to routine arrangements for the next national encampment to be held in this city. The week beginning on September 3 was fixed upon. The parade will be given Tuesday, September 5, and a line of march was selected for it yesterday. The first business session will be held September 6.

THE LAXATIVE GUMDROPS.

This is a new carthartic that has just been put on the market. They contain a gentle laxative that move the bowels easily without pain or griping. They are in the form of a gumdrop. They contain no taste of medicine and are followed by no disagreeable results. People who do not like to take pills will find that these gumdrops completely answer all the requirements. They can be taken at any time either before or after eating without any precautions. They are an excellent thing for children, for, as there is nothing disagreeable in their taste they can be given without the little ones suspecting that they contain medicine. Then too, these drops are perfectly harmless. While two or three are a dose, as many as ten can be taken without ill results. The small boxes are sold for ten cents, the large ones for 25 cents. Ask your druggist for them, and if he will not order them for you, send us the amount and we will mail them to you.

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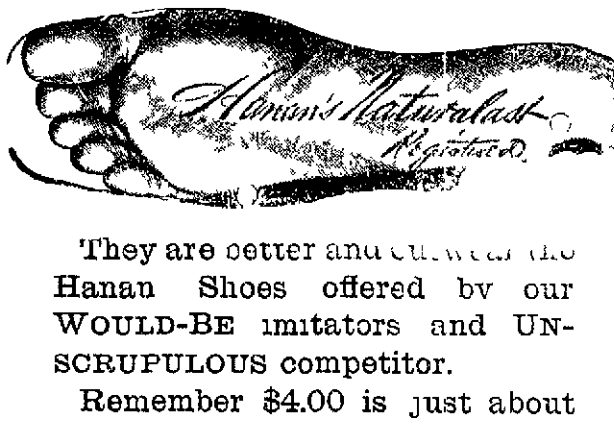

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GEN. ROSECRANS is seriously ill at his home in Washington

DEMOCRATIC leaders are more interested in the distribution of the offices than in devising ways and means to relive the people from the tariff taxes they talked so much about in the campaign

A PLOW factory at Rockford, Ill, capitalized at $125 000 failed yesterday and many men are thrown out of employment Where are their vested rights? Where is the 33⅓ per cent profit the concern made that General A J. Hunter told us about not long since?

OUR Democratic statesmen are preparing to carry the city election next spring It behooves Republicans to look about them and see to it that the Democratic bosses do not succeed Please bear in mind, also, that last spring the Democrats said there ought to be no politics in city elections

MONDAY night unknown parties desecrated the graves of sixteen Union soldiers buried at Clayton, Ill, by painting their tombstones with red paint Only four soldiers' graves were left unmarked. Such work as this is desperately disgusting and was evidently done by persons who do not believe in the cause in which these men served when the government needed defenders

THE Decatur *Review* wants to know how it comes that the Republican papers have ceased to cry that Altgeld is Mike McDonald's man The answer is that Mike has got his man and that is all there is of it But will the *Review* please explain why it has ceased its howl about the robber tariff—the awful McKinley bill? Was it intended that that howl was only to do duty for campaign purposes?

YESTERDAY'S dispatches stated that the Carnegie steel works will be enlarged What about shutting down our factories? Is this the first move in that direction?—*Decatur Review*

Don't know But what about making Carnegie divide his profits under a Democratic tariff policy? Is this the first move in that direction? And by the way, have the Democratic leaders promised H C Frick, who supported Cleveland that they will not change the tariff policy of the government further than will benefit the manufacturer by giving him free raw material. If this is true it is plain why Carnegie intends to extend some of his works

What Is It Here For?

It is remarkable that the Democratic leaders, at this time, when the echoes of their terrible and vicious assault on protection and the McKinley tariff law have scarcely died out, should hesitate for one moment to admit that they were in earnest in their tirades against protection And yet it is true that not one of them from Cleveland down to Andy Hunter has the courage to say that they will repeal the McKinley tariff law Such political cowardice was never before exhibited by the leaders of any party Their conduct is fast impressing those people whose votes they secured on the promise of relief from "tariff taxes" that the Democratic party as at present constituted is nothing more than an organized humbug unworthy of confidence on the part of anybody If protection is "legalized robbery," as these leaders have claimed for years, and a return to a revenue tariff will relieve the workingman and the farmer from the "burdens it imposes," and at the same time guarantee our "manufactories a healthy growth," can any sensible man give a single reason why these interests should not speedily be given relief? And yet we find these leaders not only halting as to whether a special session of congress shall be called, but actually debating in their minds whether they dare or ought to repeal the McKinley tariff law

The Bloomington *Pantagraph* has interviewed nine leading Democrats in Bloomington and five of them thought the McKinley law would not be repealed, but would be modified some, and four thought it would be repealed Here is an example, right in the home of the Vice President elect, of the utter unreliability of Democratic leaders to do as they agreed Worst of all nearly every one of them talks about putting raw materials on the free list Raw materials are the finished products of the poorest paid labor in the country, but this product these leaders propose to make free at the expense of this labor and give the benefit thereof to the manufacturers of the country, who, they told the laborer during the campaign, was robbing him under the infamous protective tariff If the Democratic party after all its bluster, can think of no better thing to do than to rob the poorest paid labor and give the benefit of that robbery to the bloated manufacturer, then, surely the laboring people have made a mistake in putting that party in power and Powderly was right when he said "The Democrat party is the enemy of the laboringman

Cleveland With the Robbers

Grover Cleveland was the guest of the New York Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night and made a speech in which he said

You represent those interests which are utterly indispensable to our national growth and prosperity I do not believe that any other interests should be obliged to feed from the crumbs which fall from the table of business, nor do I believe that tables should be robbed of the good things which are honestly and fairly there, merely because some other tables are not well provided. It comes to this, we are all interested as Americans in a common pursuit. Our purpose is, or ought to be, in our several spheres, to add to the general fund of our national prosperity. From this fund we are all entitled to draw, perhaps not equally but justly, each receiving a fair portion of individual prosperity Let us avoid trampling upon each other in our anxiety to be first in the distribution of shares, and let us not attempt to appropriate the shares of others"

Had the party which elected Mr Cleveland made its campaign on the basis of this post election equity speech, Mr Cleveland would have been defeated. Mr. Cleveland owes his election to the calamity howler, to the theory that the "rich are becoming richer and the poor poorer," to the notion that under certain conditions one man may take possession of the property of another without due process of law, and that the poor have a right, by any sort of means they may see fit to use, to force a division of property

These are some of the ideas which elected Grover Cleveland, and it is a peculiar spectacle to see him stand so soon after election, in the midst of the 'plutocrats' and "robber barrons" at a banquet gauged at $100 a plate, openly proclaiming that the tables of luxury should not be robbed of "their good things, merely because some other tables are not well provided," and, as if to add insult to the masses who are poor and who voted for him resorts to cold blooded burlesque of the condition of the poor by saying "Let us avoid trampling on each other in our *anxiety* to be first in the distribution of shares" He knows very well that the carriage of Dives is never stopped to give succor to Lazarus and it is unnecessary to advise the bloated Dives to be careful not to trample on the other plutocrats in his effort to help those whose "shares" are not as great as his

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The injustice of Mr Williams' imprisonment is that instead of being properly tried and if it is found that he has done wrong made to pay for the damage he has done to the wall of the lord of the manor, he has been sent to prison without trial on a charge of contempt of court and there he may remain month after month, according to the caprice of the court of queen's bench This power of committal to prison for an indefinite period on such a fanciful charge as contempt of court seems to me to be a thing savoring of the proceedings of the court of the star chamber, which was abolished for its arbitrary acts by the breath of popular indignation In my ignorance I thought there was passed by the representatives of the people, for their protection from arbitrary imprisonment, an act called the habeas corpus act, which prevented a man from being capriciously imprisoned for an indefinite time without fair trial if he has been guilty of any crime But here is a man—a gentleman and a minister—being treated as if he had been guilty of robbery—Cor London Chronicle

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to robust health and strength. Such a remedy is Dr John Bull's Sarsaparilla. It revives, strengthens, and regulates the feminine constitution Mrs. Mary F Wilkinson, Jackson, Tenn, writes "I was a very healthy woman before my marriage, but dating from an accident my health got to be very bad. My complexion became sallow I became nervous and sleepless; I grew thin and despondent. My appetite was fickle, and what I ate laid like lead upon my stomach. My habits were irregular, and I was

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to suffer much pain I used prescriptions of several good doctors, but my ailments increased A bearing down pain about my back and loins seemed as if it would kill me. I was subject to frequent headaches and bilious attacks In this condition I began a use of Dr Bull's Sarsaparilla. It seemed precisely suited to my condition Every spoonful seemed to go to the right spot. I soon showed great improvement, and my friends rejoiced at my returning health. I used it during the months of March and April, and give it all the credit for my present enjoyment of life and good health It is a boon to weak and suffering women and will make them

STRONG.

Nelly Davis, Helena, Ark., writes: "Dr Bull's Sarsaparilla has improved my health wonderfully, also greatly improved my looks. I had eruptions on my skin but they have disappeared, and I was very weak, with no appetite and at times suffered great pain, but now I feel quite well again."

Smith's Tonic Syrup is the only safe cure for Chills and Fever

Dr John Bull's Worm Destroyer.

This remedy never fails to give satisfaction Try it when children act peevish and cross It may be worms that ails them It tastes good Price 25 cents at drug stores or sent by mail by John D Park & Sons Co, who're the agents, 175 and 177 Sycamore Street, Cincinnati Ohio

KING & WOOD, Agents.

JUSTICE SHIRAS has been presented with a judicial gown by his Pittsburg friends. It is a gorgeous dream of beauty and contains in its make-up twenty-one yards of the richest silk.

A Cholera Scare.

A reported outbreak of cholera at Helmetta, N. J, created much excitement in that vicinity. Investigation showed that the disease was not cholera, but a violent dysentery, which is almost as severe and dangerous as cholera. Mr. Walter Willard, a prominent merchant of Jamesburg, two miles from Helmetta, says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy has given great satisfaction in the most severe cases of dysentery, It is certainly one of the best things ever made" For sale by Swearingen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

SENATOR STANFORD says that he proposes to spend all his property before he dies, and the California University will be the recipient of his generous arrangements

DR HEBER BISHOP of Boston went hunting in the Moose river valley, Maine, last week and killed a moose weighing 1,000 pounds

This is Pretty Good.

Mr John C. Goodwin, a carpenter of Danville, Ill, writes. "About two weeks ago a heavy saw log fell upon my foot very badly crushing it, so that I was unable to walk at all. I sent for a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment and kept my foot well saturated with it. It is now two weeks since this happened, and my foot is nearly well and I am at work. Had I not used Snow Liniment I should have been laid up at least 2 months. For healing Wounds, Sprains, Sores and Bruises it has no equal. No Inflammation can exist where Snow Liniment is used "You can use this letter."

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P. D & E EXCURSIONS

THE P, D & E R R. will discontinue their Sunday excursion rates after Sunday, Nov, 27th until further notice. R A Campbell, Gen. Pass Agt. nov12-d4

DURING the month of November the P., D & E will continue their Sunday one-fare rate for the round trip C C Judson, ticket agent nov1-d1mo

FOR the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association and International Medical College to be held in the city of Mexico Nov 29th to Dec 2d, the P D, & E R R. will sell excursion tickets at a rate of one fare for the round trip Tickets will be sold on Nov 19 to 28 inclusive, good for return until Dec 31 Stop over privileges will be given south of the Rio Grande Gateway Call on T. Penniwell at city office or C C JUDSON, agent, Union depot.

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Prices:—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, Boxes, $4 and $5

The sale of seats will begin Tuesday morning, Nov 15 at the Opera House drug store

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ONE NIGHT ONLY,

FRIDAY, NOV. 18.

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FANNY RICE

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Sale of seats at Templeton's drug store will begin Wednesday morning, Nov 16.

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The Foundation of all Sensational Dramas,

MASTER AND MAN

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Sale of seats Saturday [illegible]

Are You Going South?

Low winter rates now in effect from all stations on the P. D. & E. railway to New Orleans, Pensacola, Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Tampa and various other points in the south and south east. Call upon your ticket agent who will furnish you with tickets and complete information in detail. R. A. Campbell Gen Pass Agent Evansville, Ind

BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents payable in advance.]

DOG LOST—Strayed, a young Scotch puppy, answers to "Bob" Suitable reward for his return to MRS. LEWIS RACE 530 West Main street. nov16 d1w*

FOR RENT—A large hall 42x80 feet in Dougherty Block on East Eldorado street, suitable for a secret society If rented will be fitted up in fine shape to suit the society Apply to JOHN DOUGHERTY, at the block nov16 dtf

FOR RENT—A splendid store room in the Dougherty Block, East Eldorado street, suitable for any business Apply to JOHN DOUGHERTY, at the block. nov16 dtf

WANTED—A lady, unincumbered, with small capital, to take a business which will bring $100 per month. Middle-aged lady with intelligence, push and energy, either married or single Apply at Room 59, St Nicholas Hotel This will bear investigation 16-d1*

FOR SALE OR RENT—The building now occupied by the H W Hill Co, corner West Main and Church streets, 16-d1w*

LOST—A solid gold watch, initials M W on outside of cover, full name, Minnie White on inside of cover Finder will be rewarded on leaving watch at 145 N Water St nov16 d1w

FOR SALE—A good home No 404 East Condit street Lot 48 by 150 feet, with large pantry, closets, grate cistern cellar, fruit and shade trees. For terms call on B I STERRETT, office over postoffice 16-d1w*

FOR thirty days we will give lessons in the Parisian scientific tailor system for $5 Agents wanted, (ladies and gentlemen) to teach this system, easy to learn and glove fitting Call and see M W Stewart and Bowman, 10 and 11 Fenton block over Bradley Bros nov11-d1w*

PERSONS wishing turkeys, either live or dressed, would do well to leave their orders within the next few days at D H Dunbar & Co's, 549 North Water street nov12 d2w

SALE of Dray Line—Shisler & Ulrich have decided to retire from the dray and express business and will sell the firm property in private sale at the Shisler barn on North Jackson street One No 1 express wagon and contents, a span of sorrels, (a mare and horse) also a good dray wagon, a set of harness and the good will of the business Call on Amos Shisler at the barn nov16 d2w*

DANCING—Prof. Leonard, representative of the American Association of Teachers of dancing, notifies all interested in dancing that he is at home in his own academy Abbott's hall, Prairie Ave Beginners classes commence next Monday evening, Nov 14 Juvenile classes Saturday afternoon half past three o'clock Promptness as to time is requested Leonard Assembly every Thursday night Hall for rent to select parties d11 1w

AGENTS WANTED—We want first class traveling salesmen to handle our lubricating oils and grease as a side line COLUMBIA OIL & GREASE CO, Cleveland, Ohio 2 d2w

FOR SALE—A 2 year old [illegible] in the spring bay horse and delivery wagon and harness cheap Inquire of YOUNG BROS & MARIS Co, North Water street. [Oct 19dtf]

WANTED—Five or six check boys at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company s20 tf

R. O. Rosen, Architect and Builder Office over Citizens' National bank, third floor Rooms 1 and 2

WINTER YOUR HORSES—We are prepared to winter a number of horses at the Race farm, 1½ miles east of Decatur [illegible] month each. Good stabling and sheds [illegible] eased horses admitted Apply to BISHOP RACE, Decatur, or at the farm oc[illegible]

WE offer agents big money [illegible] country. Agents first in [illegible] rich. One agent in [illegible] $91 50 [illegible] ALLINE SAFE [illegible] Cincinnati, Oh[illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] lbs of [illegible] butter and 6,000 [illegible] feed in stock, at D H DUNBAR & CO [illegible] North Water St. aug11 tf

W. A BOYD—House and Sign Painter, Graining, Calcimining and Paper hanging, 147 South Water St Satisfaction guaranteed july28 dtf

FOR SALE—A fine farm of 160 acres, 1 mile east and 3 miles south of Maroa Ill For particulars call at the farm or address SAMUEL McCANN, Maroa, Ill s20-d&wtf

THE DECATUR NURSERY will save you 50 per cent. on trees small fruit and other plants All stock guaranteed Don't be misled by foreign agents Come direct to the Decatur Nursery, West King street, near fair grounds Decatur feb2-d&wtf

HOUSE CLEANING—Headquarters for House cleaning Wall Paper cleaning and Upholstery of all kinds at 155 East Prairie St—upstairs Montgomery & Hammons Satisfaction guaranteed dec21tf

WANTED—Second hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash Bargain in second hand goods, WALKER & CHANCE, aug23-dtf 135 and 137 North Main St

J. B EHRHART—House and Sign Painter Ornamental and Fresco work a specialty First-class, and satisfaction guaranteed mar28-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts Loans made on live stock farm implements, or household goods All classes of loans negotiated on short notice Loans on farm and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T SUMMERS No 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house Decatur Illinois july16 d&wtf

CHICAGO SECOND HAND STORE—All kinds of Stoves at half price All kinds of Cook stoves at bargains Parlor stoves from $3 up, chairs 25c, beds, wardrobes, lounges, parlor suits, bedroom suits All goods at rock bottom prices, and everything bound to sell LUDWIG SCHRURMANN, Manager East Main St opposite Bachman Bros s24tf

DO YOU NEED SPECTACLES?—Miss Mary Nesbitt, M O, graduate of the Chicago Ophthalmic college, has opened rooms at No 250 North Park street, where she is prepared to serve those who are in need of properly adjusted spectacles Miss Nesbitt is a thorough and scientific optician, and is fully equipped with all the latest devices for properly adjusting lenses so as to correct the most intricate error of vision In the process of fitting glasses she centers the pupil of the on the center of the lens as all lenses are focused, and she thus overcomes the difficulty, so common in the adjustment of spectacles, of causing the lens to operate as a prism Miss Nesbitt also adjusts the frames to the face Those in need of the services of a thorough optician would do well to give her a call s 10dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—In large or small amounts Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loans Office 23 North Water St, above Peddecord, Burrows & Co's bank jan10-dtf J W REDMAN

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE—For sale at from $275 to $300 ten choice lots in Powers' addition, near the new school house mch31-dtf JOHN A BROWN

LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty MRS BOWMAN Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store 12l dtf

LANDS FOR SALE by the Illinois Central R R. Co at low prices and on easy terms in Southern Illinois The best farm country in the world for either large or small farms, gardens fruits, orchards, dairying raising stock or sheep A greater variety of crops, with a greater profit, can be grown on a less amount of lands in this country than can be raised in any other portion of this state. Don't go elsewhere to buy lands for farms until you see Southern Illinois All sales made exclusively by the Land Commissioner I C R R Co Special inducements and facilities offered by the Illinois Central Railroad Company to go and examine these lands For full description and map and any information, address or call upon F P SKENE Land Commissioner I, C R R Co 78 Michigan ave., Chicago Ill nov2 d10-w6

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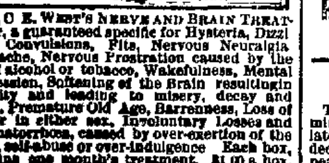

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to cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with $5 00 we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by A. J Stoner, druggist, 249 North Water St., Decatur, [illegible]

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And go to Scovill's where Prices are Lowest in town. There everything to furnish a house can be found. Of his liberal terms you hear every one speak; Pay what you can down and the rest by the week, AND STOP KICKING!

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WE THE UNDERSIGNED, contracting plasterers, after much experience and observation, take pleasure in testifying to the practical character of ROCK PLASTER, and while it will remove a not inconsiderable amount of business, namely that of patching, we advocate its use, as it enables us to do work and guarantee the results, and enables us to carry on our trade at all seasons of the year, and modernizes that part of building enterprise which has undergone practically no improvement in the last two thousand years, placing the business of the plasterer on the same footing as that occupied by the other trades through the advent of machinery and improved methods.

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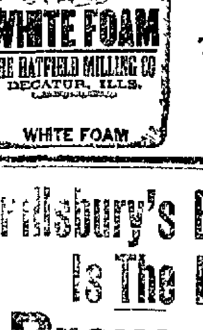

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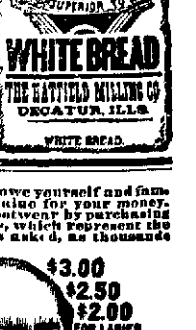

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Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of Casper Burg, Deceased

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Casper Burg, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1892.
HIRAM A. [illegible]

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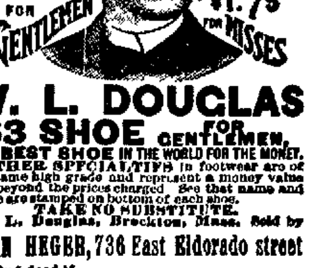

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Denz & Son, tailors.

Fresh oysters at Singleton's.

"Jane" to-night at the Grand.

Improve your appearance by getting your clothes made by P. H. Kaufbold, 143 East Main street. 14-d6

You can always get good groceries at Hanks & Co.'s model store, 143 South Water street.

The Charles Frohman company will present the new comedy, "Jane," at the Grand to-night.

The up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. s8dtf

Welcome, all Christian Endeavor visitors, and may your stay in our midst be pleasant and profitable.

Albums, Toys and other holiday goods very cheap at Robinson's Book Store, corner Water and Main. 15d6

The Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home at Lincoln has been formally accepted by the Grand Lodge.

Family groceries and fresh country butter to suit you at Philip Kemper's store, 757 North Water street.

The police last night raided the Robbins and Etheridge gambling room. All of the parties arrested gave bonds.

John Young, at the Republican office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

The dampness continues. There was steady rain throughout last night, and deafening thunder at intervals.

The regular weekly meeting of the Decatur Pension Examining Board was held yesterday at Dr. Walbridge's office.

This will be Ladies' Night at the Decatur Club rooms. The house committee is prepared to entertain the club's guests handsomely.

Satisfaction is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

Those superb Haines Upright pianos and Packard organs on sale at C. B. Prescott's music store are the best. See them and you will buy.

Don't buy your winter underwear before you have seen the celebrated Dr. Jaros hygiene fleece-lined. Just the thing for rheumatics. For sale by

Cheap Charley.

The barber shop in the Perl Block on South Main street has been leased by George Ellis, who took possession to-day. Mr. Ellis was formerly with A. T. Grist on South Water street.

Gent's Neckwear, Gent's Woolen Shirts, Gent's Underwear, Suspenders and Half Hose, all at reasonable prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

W. P. Hassock has gone to Tolono to take charge of the Western Union telegraph office, relieving W. E. Handy, who is a Democrat and has held the job for 14 years.

Choice apples, peaches and grapes can be had in any quantity at May & Church man's model grocery store in the Syndicate Block, North Main street. 27-dtf

The Roney Concert Company will give a musical entertainment at the First M. E. church on Tuesday, November 22d. It will be a rare entertainment and in the interest of the church.

Bissel's Carpet Sweepers—the newest improved patterns, and the most reliable sweepers in the market—for sale at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s. d&w

In Justice Hammer's court Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell, brought here from Mobile, Ala., by Marshal Mason, waived examination on charges of larceny. Bonds were fixed at $700 for Mitchell and at $200 for the woman.

J. J. Jacobs has a first-class barber shop and bath rooms, first door east of Dr. Stoner's drug store on South Park street, where excellent service will be given the public at all times. Give Mr Jacobs a call for a good shave or haircut. jun14-dtf

Eat Turkey

On Thanksgiving, but before you buy the turkey, come in and see our "Turkey Platter and Carving Set" sale.

We offer large turkey platters in twenty-five decorations, in Haviland and other French chinas, as well as Vienna, and English chinas, at prices that look as if we bought them for less money than they were ever bought in Decatur for.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

Property for Sale.

Residence lot 45x110 feet, with house of three large rooms each 16x17 feet front and rear porches, wardrobe, two large pantries, cellar 13x15 feet; new well and cistern; barn with room for two tons of hay, stall and buggy room, oats and corn bins. Call at 243 and 247 South Water street. nov8-d6t

GRAND DISPLAY

OF

Fine Cloaks and Wraps.

During Thursday, November 17th, a representative of one of the most reliable houses in the United States will exhibit and take orders for cloak garments in our cloak department. We guarantee perfect satisfaction as regards quality, workmanship and lowest prices.

LINN & SCRUGGS

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We Clean

And repair furnaces and put them in first-class shape for the winter.

CHILD GIVEN AWAY

At the Battle for Souls by a Salvation Army Mother.

The barracks of the Decatur Salvation Army were crowded last night on the occasion of the pitched battle for souls, which was the closing feature of the state convention. The service was brisk, noisy and earnest, and there were many seekers at the altar. Sister Collins' infant child was given away and consecrated to the Lord. The infant was fretful, and it cried. A Captain said it was crying for mercy. Possibly the bass drum and the horns frightened it.

Resolutions of thanks were adopted, and during the convention officers were assigned to places as follows: Staff Captain Addie and Lieutenant Humphrey, to Springfield; Captain Rogers and Lieutenant Johnson, to Galesburg; Captain Wise and Lieutenant Adele, to Macomb; Captain Hagland and Lieutenant Mcton, to Elgin; Captain Ludgate and wife, to Lincoln. The following statistics regarding the Illinois division for the past year were read: Number of corps, 23; number of recruits and soldiers, 745; number of hours visiting, 3023; number of homes visited, 4792; number of *Crys* ordered, 15,765; number of oped airs held, 565; number of meetings held 1057; number of people attended, 45,620; total income, $2212.40; number of souls saved, 203.

Master and Man.

"Master and Man," the name of the latest play from the workshop of Pettitt and Simms, the greatest of all modern writers of melodrama, tells the story almost in the striking title. No subject is of more vital interest than the relative position of employer and employee. The most eminent minds of the world have struggled with the subject from time immemorial, and only recently a powerful organization came near solving the vexed problem, but as in all such cases internal dissension did much to overthrow a theory that promised great things. The dramatist in present on the mimic stage a story that inculates the need of any great reform has more real convincing power than the mere ethical writer, as he not only portrays characters but delineates it by living impersonations. Melo-drama seems to be the prevailing fashion for dramatic productions and appeals to all of the foreign or native dramatists, and in this, their latest and best work, have hit upon a subject in which the sentiment is directed to the satisfaction of the popular taste. This play will be presented at the Grand, Tuesday evening, Nov. 22.

The Freeman Anniversaries.

November 16th is the day of weddings in the Freeman family. It is the day on which Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Spaulding, and Mr. and Mrs. John B. Freeman were united, and yesterday being the date the occasion was observed by the families at the James Freeman home on North College St. At 7 o'clock an elaborate supper was served, and the evening was most pleasantly passed. Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding were unable to be present. Mrs. G. S. Savage, of Chicago A. F. Wilson, of Mosweqna, and B. S. Freeman, of Boston, were present from a distance.

A Protective Union.

The Musical Protective Union was formed last evening at Goodman's Band hall by F. N. Wood with the following officers: President, Prof. F. W. Westhoff; vice president, Prof. Robert Walter; recording secretary, Leo Heilbrun; financial secretary, E. O. Bennett; treasurer, Dr. T. S. Childs; Guide, C. P. Houeum, jr.; Guard, W. J. Gilkeson. The union is a member of the National League of Musicians, and is formed for the purpose of mutual protection and benefit. The union starts with 41 charter members.

A Meteoric Shower.

Dr. Louis Swift, who believes the Bolness comet to be none other than Biela's comet that was first discovered in 1772 and again in 1805 and lastly by Beala in 1826 who gave his name to it, says that if he correct in his opinion on the night of November 37, it will give us a great meteoric display. He says also that it is within the range of probabilities that this comet will strike the earth some time as it has come very close to the earth several times.

All Hope is Gone.

There is now no hope of securing the commercial rolling mill for Decatur. It is barely possible that the stock might have been raised. Just $90,000 was needed, and before the election $60,000 was raised, but since that amount was secured nothing has been done. In the meantime Burlington people who knew the value of the plant hustled, and by forming a company secured a long lease on the property. It will stay at Burlington.

Rev. J. W. Crane will go to Kansas, Ill., Saturday morning. On Sunday he will assist in the dedication of a new church building where he was formerly pastor. Harmony is the name of the church, which is in the country. The new building cost about $8,000. Mr. Crane will lead the love feast. Rev. T. I. Coultas, formerly pastor of the First church of Dectur, will preach the principal sermon.

The Roney Concert company, of Chicago, gives an entertainment, which for novelty, high artistic merit and great attractiveness has no rival and equal before the American public. The charming recitations and exquisite songs of Miss Pearson, and also her "musical recitations" are new and out of the usual line of elocutionists' work. At the First M. E. church next Tuesday evening.

Fixtures for the Court House.

The contract for providing the new court house with combination fixtures was let last evening by the building committee to the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating company of Decatur at $1,727.08. A full line of samples were displayed by five different competitors. The committee made selections from the Mueller collection.

Wachtesbach.

All the new shapes and colors now opened in this elegant yet not expensive goods. Pink, dark blue, yellow, pale green, lavender, etc. A. D. Coffees, mustards, tea pots, sugars, creams, cracker jars, all sizes, pitchers and many other useful articlys. Come and see it.

E. D. Bartholomew.

Opening Dance.

The Calumet club will give their first dance of the season to-night at the club

CAPT. BARNES AT CHEMNITZ.

Descriptive and Gossipy Letter from Our Former Townsman.

This letter of local interest reaches us this morning, coming in the mail through the state department at Washington, from Captain John A. Barnes, who entered upon his duties October 15 as U. S. consul at Chemnitz, Germany:

Chemnitz, Germany, Oct., 29, 1892.

Eds. Republican—We are gladdened each "steamer day" by the Daily Republican and we eagerly devour the news it contains, and in a manner keep posted as to events that at this distance seem to crowd upon each other. Home associations, locality and friends seem especially dear to those who are, is it were, entirely isolated from former companions, and dependent for news upon the uncertain ocean mail facilities. Myself and family arrived at Bremen on the 11th of October and having two or three hours there before resuming our journey to Chemnitz, I employed the time in visiting, in company with some German steamer acquaintances, the famous Rothkeller, or as it is now known, the Rathsweinkeller, the council wine vaults, where wine is found that was made in the sixteenth century and kept in vats called the Twelve Apostles and has become on account of age as thick as oil. Here in the dim past was held secret conclaves, or councils, and if these massive walls could speak, no doubt many secrets of state would be divulged. I had the pleasure of standing in one of its darkened chambers when by the aid of artificial lights we could see upon the ceiling high above us the outline of a beautifully painted rose. In this room it is said met the inner circle of the council, and from this room never was divulged the authors or concoctors of the bloody and cruel orders that from time to time were issued therefrom. Here also is said to have originated the idea of "sub rosa"—its significance arising from the fact that these secret edicts were reached or arrived at while sitting in council under this beautifully painted rose.

On all sides are evidences of antiquity and unconsciously we would find our selves entering or gazing upon buildings that were erected before the discovery of America. One can hardly realize that he is associating with inanimate objects that were in existance five to seven hundred years ago. Formerly Bremen, like all of the older cities of Germany, was enclosed by massive ramparts or walls but which are now, in this enlightened age, happily dismantled and beautiful parks and driveways have taken their place. Time and the patience of your readers remind me that I may become tiresome in dwelling too long at this point although I find it replete with objects of deep interest and with regret hasten on to our place of future abode. We passed through Magdeburg, Hanover, Leipsig and many other large and beautiful cities, and arrived at Chemnitz on the 12th of October in good health but somewhat fatigued by our long journey. I assumed the duties of my consular office on the 15th inst and as far as I am able to judge, think I will find the work both agreeable and instructive. With your permission I will at some future time furnish you with facts relating to Chemnitz, its manufactories, its people, and its general business. It is beautifully located upon broken or undulating country, and doubtless the surrounding landscape is very lovely when all nature is attired in her Sunday suit.

I am yours truly,

John A. Barnes.

"Jane" To-Night

Charles Frohman's comedy success, Jane, which will be at the Opera House to-night is a decided departure from the usual comedy built on farcical lines. The story of the play runs: Charles Shakleton, a young bachelor of prodigal habits, has been left a property by an elderly aunt upon the condition that he marries. In order to deceive the trustee of the estate, named Kershaw, Shakleton writes that he is married, and upon this deception secures money enough to pay his debts; but his reckless living soon leads to other extravagances, and Kershaw determines to pay the young man a visit to see what use is being made of the money. Shakleton, not brave enough to assume entire responsibility, writes that it is his wife who is dissipating the family fortune in so lively a manner. Upon receiving word of Kershaw's intended visit he is in a quandary. What seemed a neat way of evading the difficulty now becomes unpleasantly serious and a wife for the situation must be provided. In Shakleton's employ are two servants, William and Jane, and upon the morning of Kershaw's visit this worthy young couple take it upon themselves to get married clandestinely. William enjoys his master's confidence to a considerable extent, and resolving to do a good turn he starts out quietly to find a temporary wife for Shakleton. Shakleton, however, not anticipating William's friendly interest, starts out to look for a wife on his own hook and lights upon Jane; at first Jane indignantly refuses, and then being a shrewd young woman with an eye to business, consents without first consulting her husband. William's woman and Jane appear upon the scene at the same time, much to Mr. Kershaw's astonishment and every one's discomfiture.

From this situation a number of interesting complications are woven, and the comedy action from this point on is refreshingly breezy and unstilted. Mr. Frohman's company is strong, both collectively and individually.

Fanny Rice in "Jolly Surprise."

There are few artists on the stage so well known and so thoroughly well liked, both in and out of the profession, as jolly little Fannie Rice, who will be at the Grand to-morrow night with her own company of singers and comedians in a new musical comedy written especially for her by Arthur Wallack, son of the late Lester Wallack, [illegible] "A Jolly Surprise." Miss Rice has been on the stage some eight or nine years, and has been unusually successful both in musical comedy and comic opera. She was one of the first to play Venus in Hoyt's Rag Baby company, and a few years later, was one of the principal members of the Carleton Opera company, and her clever performances of Nanon, Jovette in Erminie and Elsa in the Merry War, made her a great favorite in all of the principal cities from Boston to San Francisco.

Grand Opening.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 1, 2 and 3. The largest and finest and cheapest line of holiday goods ever shown in Decatur. 99 cent stores, 310 and 312 North Water street and 221 East William st. 15-d1w

Turner Suits.

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The president yesterday appointed Silas Alexander, of New Mexico, to be secretary of that territory.

—Two masked men robbed the bank of Woodstock, Minn., Tuesday evening. They secured $1,000 and escaped.

—Kaiser Wilhelm will open the reichstag in person to show that he regards the military bill as his personal measure.

—The Russian government has decided to raise the duty on raw cotton to 140 copecks per pood for imports by sea and 155 for imports by land.

—Nick Brinkman, an employe of the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. of St. Louis, was badly burned by the explosion of a tank car which he was cleaning Tuesday evening.

—The Robinson & Stokes company of Omaha, Neb., has been attached by creditors for $45,000. The heaviest creditors say the company will no doubt be able to resume.

—William McKinley, Sr., father of Gov. McKinley, celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday Tuesday. The governor and wife and Mrs. Osborne, of Boston, sister of Mrs. McKinley, Jr., were present.

—Lord Roseberry delivered an address at the unveiling of a bust of the late Sir John Alexander MacDonald, the Canadian statesman, in a crypt of St. Paul's, London, yesterday. There was a large attendance of distinguished people.

—In the case of William D. Cross, of the District of Columbia, convicted of wife murder and sentenced to be hanged, the United States supreme court held that under the statutes it had no jurisdiction over criminal appeals from the local court.

—Miss Miriam Studer, known in religious circles as Sister Mary Albini, passed through St. Louis, her old home, Tuesday, from Syracuse, N. Y., accompanied by other sisters, en route to the Sandwich islands, where she goes to nurse the lepers of Molokai.

—The steamer Lahn, from Bremen to New York, which was aground in the Weser, and the steamer Maasdam, from New York for Rotterdam, which was aground at Maasluis, got off without damage. The Maasdam was obliged to discharge part of her cargo.

—Tuesday night the Alabama house of representatives held a democratic caucus and passed resolutions excluding all who did not vote for Cleveland. Twenty-four members withdrew forthwith. Four other members were not present, and it is not known how they stand.

—Sir John Bridge, of London, yesterday granted an order for the extradition to France of Jean Pierre Francois, alias Johnson, alias Brohl, accused of being an accomplice of Ravachol, the anarchist, and of having caused the explosion in the Very restaurant, where Ravachol had been arrested.

—A dispatch to the London Times from St. Petersburg states that a bulletin was issued Tuesday recording twelve new cases and five deaths from cholera in twenty-four hours. Most of the cases are on the island north of the Neva, where the water supply is bad. Cases of influenza are also reported as being numerous.

—Each day brings new recruits to the forces of the Carnegie company at Beaver Falls, Pa., twenty-five arriving yesterday morning. The city officials and business men are giving the company all possible aid, and there is a feeling of confidence and almost rejoicing among the citizens over the prospect of the resumption of work.

—The startling discovery was made Tuesday that the supposed priceless jewels and sacred relics owned by Rev. Father Mollinger, and which played such a prominent part in the thousands of miraculous cures performed by the priest, are bogus imitations. The supposed precious stones are glass, and the alleged golden altar in St. Anthony's chapel is nothing but wood covered with cheap gilt.

—The Swansea Tin Platers' association, which a fortnight ago discussed the advisability of seeking new markets, met again Tuesday and resolved to defer "out of sympathy for American canners who supported Mr. Cleveland" the pushing of the tin plate industry in new markets. It was also resolved to appoint a committee to watch the development of the American tariff as affecting the tin plate trade.

Southern Wholesale Druggists' Association.

New Orleans, Nov. 17.—Chairman Brusswigg called the convention of the Southern Wholesale Druggists' association to order yesterday. Mr. Kuttrice, on behalf of the committee on organization, reported the modified legislation and by-laws of the Western association.

Officers are to be elected for a period of one year. The annual meetings are to be held in November, the date and city to be selected by the directors.

Vacancies in offices caused by death or resignations shall be filled by the executive board.

Provision is made for assessments not to exceed $25 per annum for each firm to cover deficiencies in the treasury. The constitution was finally adopted as a whole.

The by-laws were adopted as a whole. Special meetings of the association are to be called at any time by the president of the convention on the written application of not less than five members.

The Southern Associated Press.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 17.—The Southern Associated Press was organized in this city, yesterday afternoon, after a two day's meeting of editors of the morning dailies in ten southern states. The capital stock of the company is $30,000, 50 per cent of which was subscribed under a charter unanimously adopted. The following directors were elected: E. P. Howell, Atlanta Constitution; J. C. Hemphill, Charleston News and Courier; J. H. Estill, Savannah News; F. P. O'Brien, Birmingham Age-Herald; Adolph Ochs, Chattanooga Times; Page M. Baker, New Orleans Times-Democrat; George Nichols, New Orleans Picayune; T. T. Stockton, Florida Times-Union. Evan P. Howell, was elected president; F. P. O'Brien, vice-president, F. Glass, secretary, and S. Patrick Walsh, treasurer.

The annual meetings of the association were fixed for the first Tuesday after the 15th of November of each year at such place as may be selected by the executive committee.

The Chicago Water Rates Steal—Half a Million Gone.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Experts are still at work on the city water office books. Francis W. Holbrooke and an assistant are making the examination. They say the system of bookkeeping has been so bad that an accurate estimate of the amount lost to the city cannot be made. An estimate places this loss as high as $500,000. Brokeski, the deposed bookkeeper, says this amount is a wild guess, and declares that figures to prove the assertion cannot be adduced.

Commissioner of Public Works Aldrich says he has not received a partial or complete report from Mr. Holbrooke and he can give no estimate on the amount of loss. It is not probable that any of the money that has been diverted from the city treasury can be recovered.

DIED.

On Nov. 16, at the home of her brother, W. B. Craycroft, near Turpin station, of chronic trouble, Mrs. Ella Bainter, wife of John Bainter, of Warrensburg, aged 68 years.

Mrs. B. two weeks ago went to the home of her brother to attend the funeral of Jessie Craycroft, her niece, and was taken sick. She could not be moved, and died away from her home. She leaves a husband and five children.

The funeral will take place from Salem church west of Decatur, Friday, at 11 a. m., Rev. M Auer officiating. The cortege will leave the residence at 9 a. m.

The Salvation Army at Pekin has a hot soup dinner annex to its gospel meetings.

DRIVES

—AT—

JOHNSTON'S,

151 North Water Street.

TO-DAY.

CLOAKS.

Our cloak trade has more than doubled that of a year ago. It tells, "Our garments fit well and are reasonable in prices and the newest styles."

$5 will buy a good Black or Tan Reefer Jacket.

$7.50 will buy a nice Fur Trimmed Jacket, Tan or Black, good length.

$10 will buy an elegant Tan or Black Fur Collar Reefer Jacket, worth $12.50.

See our Fur Capes at $6.50, $7.50 and $10 each.

Muffs at 75c, $1, $1.50, $2, to $5 each.

DRESS GOODS.

48 cents buys a choice lot Wool Chev ons, Storm Serges, Bedford Cords and Homespuns, that we've been selling at 60c to 75c a yard, for two days only,

TABLE LINENS.

48 cents choice lot of Red, Cream and White Damask to-day at 48c, worth 65c.

BLANKETS.

We've got the best values shown in the city.

See our drives at 95c, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3 and $3.50.

We have a special value in a White, Scarlet, or Sanitary Grey Blanket, at $5 a pair.

UNDERWEAR.

50 cents buys an elegant Merino Vest for a lady or a shirt for a gentleman.

75 cents an All Wool Natural Grey Vest for a lady or shirt for gent—usually sold at $1.25.

COMFORTS.

Comforts at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2. Splendid values.

Calicoes at 5c. Choice line of New Standard Prints at 5c, good dark styles, worth 7c to-day only.

Cotton Batting at 10c today, that usually sells at 12½c to 15c.

DON'T GET INTO THE WRONG STORE.

REMEMBER 151 NORTH WATER STREET.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

THE GREAT REMODELING SALE Is Still Going On

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

The way in which the people are taking advantage of the sale conclusively proves that the people of Decatur and the surrounding country are fully awake to their own interests, and know a GOOD THING when they see it.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS will be offered this week in HEAVY SUITS and OVERCOATS.

CHEAP + CHARLEY

FURNITURE.

You are invited to inspect the most complete stock of

Rocking Chairs,
Fancy Odd Pieces,
Parlor Cabinets,
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Dining Tables and Chairs

We have ever shown.

THE NEW STYLES ARE ELEGANT.

A large share of our new goods are not to be found elsewhere, and the prices are as low as the lowest.

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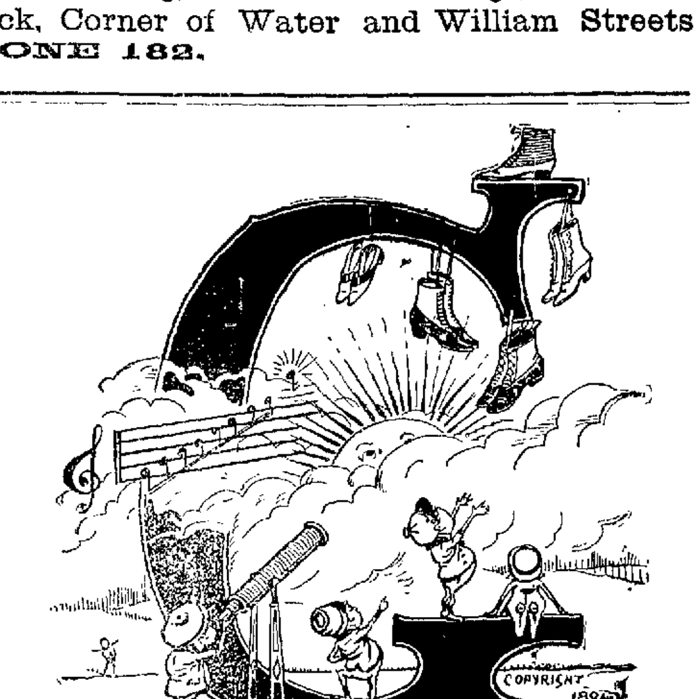

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Is what every one says about our Gents' $3.00 shoes. Ladies' High Top Kid Button Shoes, $1.50. Misses's High Top Kid Button, $1.25. A full line of Ladies' Warm Lined Shoes.

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Soft Coal Line that Knocks the Oak Out.

Positively Air-Tight.
Holds Fire 24 Hours.
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Once Polished Lasts a Season.
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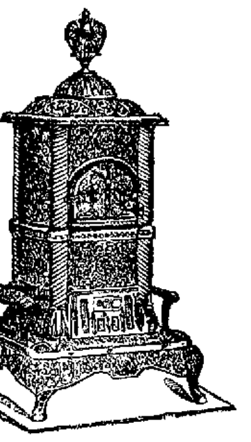
Most Durable Stove Made.
Don't Fail to Examine Both Stove and Price.



Kerosene Oil Heating Stoves a Specialty.

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Savings Fund Building Association.

The 23d series of the capital stock is now being issued at the office of the Association, No. 124 North Water street. The first four series have matured and been paid off, and the 5th series will mature this winter. Payments 50 cents per share, commencing the last Wednesday in November. Interest paid on stock withdrawn before maturity. Own your home. Do not pay rent, but join a building association.

H. W. BARTHOLOMEW, President.
H. A. WOOD, Vice President.
B. K. DURFEE, Secretary. Nov 11-d60

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Burt E. Hunt, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Burt E. Hunt, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1892.

JOHN A. REEVE, Administrator.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Edward O. Smith, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Edward O. Smith, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the January A. D. 1893 term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1892.

DAVID S. SHELLABARGER, Administrator.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Samuel McKinly, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Samuel McKinly, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the January term on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1892.

VOLNEY BARBER, Executor.

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Executrix' Notice.

Estate of William Clark, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of William Clark, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of October, 1892.

MARY A. CLARK, Executrix.

BUNN & PARK, Attorneys. oct20-d3w

NOTICE.

Sealed bids will be received at the County Clerk's Office at Decatur, Illinois, until 12 o'clock on the 10th day of November, 1892, for furnishing combination fixtures for lighting the new court house, in accordance with schedule now in clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for paving and improving North Morgan street in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, from the north line of Mason street, south to the north rail of the railway track situated and located farthest north as the same is now located, upon the right of way of the Wabash railway company in said city, according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur on the seventeenth day of October, A. D. 1892, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, for the paving and improving of said portion of said street, including labor, material and all other matters necessary to make the same.

All bidders will be required to furnish six samples each of the top and bottom brick to be used in paving before the bid will be considered. The quality of the material with the price per square yard will be considered together in determining the lowest and best bidder. All samples of brick to be used shall be filed with the city clerk and properly designated.

A bond or certified check in the sum of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council which conform to all requirements, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated Nov. 9, A. D. 1892.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the January Term, A. D. 1893.

Mary E. Bowen vs. Richard H. Bowen—In Chancery. Bill for Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to the said Richard H. Bowen that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Macon county, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the second Monday of January, A. D. 1893, as is by law required; which said summons has been returned by the sheriff of Macon county, not found, as to the said defendant, and which suit is still pending.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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D. L. Bunn. Fdw'n Park.

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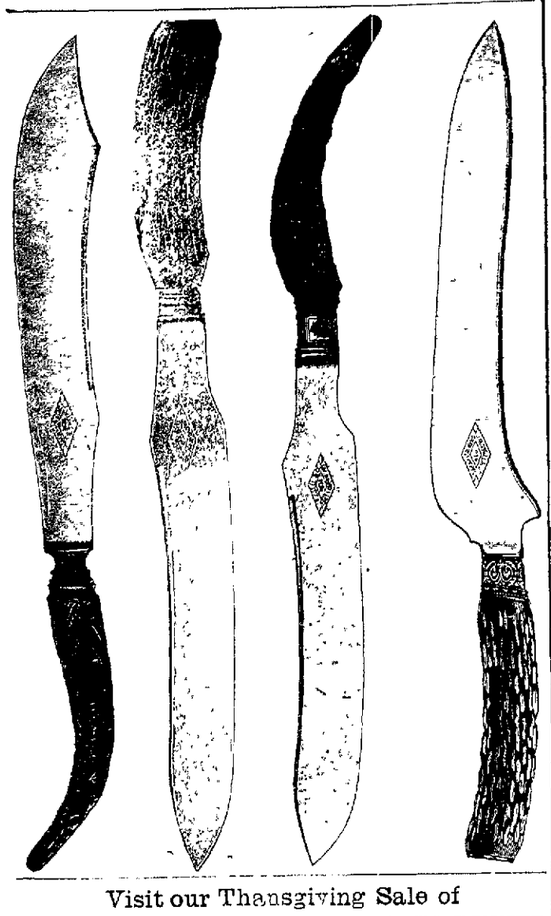

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25 Cents.

Come and see about 60 styles of Decorated China Bread and Cake Plates placed on our bargain counter, all for 25 cents each. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

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TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigar. mar28dtf

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"JANE" to-night at the Grand will draw a large crowd.

THE promised Hicks weather is with us. Hicks guesses too well.

WE can accommodate ten more day boarders. Palace, Syndicate block.

THE Grand Opera House cigar, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

PROF. VAUGHT, the great phrenologist. Rooms crowded every day. No. 22, Syndicate Block. 16-d6

CHOICE roses and Chrysanthemums at Adam Bahner's North Union street greenhouse. 16-d6*

CALL for the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by Joseph Michl. They are good ones.

YOU can save 15 to 25 per cent on Underwear, Hosiery and Blankets, at ANTHONY & WEBB'S.

JEWELS and watches to suit you at E. J. Harpstrite's store on East Prairie street, near the postoffice. 11-d6

TIME saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

CHEAP CHARLEY is the Decatur agent for the celebrated Dr. Jaros hygienic underwear. Call and see it.

I HAVE used Salvation Oil in my family and find it to be a splendid liniment. Mrs. Ella Journey, 728 6th St., Portsmouth, Va.

FOR a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

SAVE money on Union Underwear and Equestrian tights, cut prices at ANTHONY & WEBB'S

LOST—A pair of Riding Bow nickel spectacles. Finder will please leave at O. E. Curtis & Bro.'s store.

STEP in at E. J. Harpstrite's jewelry store on East Prairie street. See the elegant display of holiday goods. Prices low. 11-d6

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co, 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS will find a full line of *C. E. Spoons, Pins and Charms* at our store.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company has been moved to No. 250 North Main street, Syndicate Block with Armstrong Bros. d6t

STEP into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr5-dtf

THE up-town office of the Decatur Coal company is at Armstrong Bros.' drug store in the Syndicate block; telephone 242. Send in orders. s8dtf

THE invitations were issued to-day for a fashionable dancing party to be given Friday evening, November 25th, by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Race, Mrs. Lewis Race and Mrs. G. D. Thomas at the Race residence on West Main street.

Blue Mound News.

Frank Taylor of Boody, was in town Monday patronizing some of our merchants.

Raymond Moffitt of Madison precinct, transacted business here Tuesday.

F. D. Kesler moved to Maroa last week to take a position as clerk in a store there.

Frank Leak of Latham, drove over here on business Sunday.

E. H. Baugh has secured a position as clerk in C. T. Johnson's store in place of F. D. Kesler, removed.

C. F. McElroy sold his interest in the *Independent*, to Frank Leak, of Latham, last Sunday.

I. N. Randall delegate from Blue Mound Lodge, 595, I. O. O. F. went to Springfield Tuesday to attend the Grand Lodge in session in that city this week.

Fred Lehman and wife were in Decatur Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

There are as yet only two petitions in circulation for the appointment as postmaster at this place under the next administration, but it is understood that there are at least four others who will be in the field in due time, and as but one of them can get the coveted position, one can easily foresee the disappointment and soreness that will come to the five who get left.

Mrs. Lee Reemsnyder of Decatur came down this morning to spend the day with relatives.

W. W. Tidd real estate agent, sold A. L. Gephart's residence property yesterday to Levi Morgan; consideration $600.

D. L. McCluskey has made a large tin horn to be tooted in the Democratic jollification this evening, it is 8 feet long and 12 inches in diameter at the bell; and it is said that Johnny McClure will submit a proposition to a half dozen applicants for the postoffice before the blowing commences, to the effect that the fellow who can make the instrument be heard the greatest distance shall have a clear field, the others to withdraw from the contest. If this proposition be accepted the horn will be heard at Boody and Morgansville distinctly enough to cause the fox hounds in those localities to take up the refrain and the wild cats along the Sangamon will wail a mew and then hunt their holes.

Nov 16, '92.

Dinner Sets.

Visit our Thanksgiving sale of *Dinner Sets, Carving Sets, Cranberry, Salad and Celery Dishes.* We offer 300 English Dinner Sets at $8.00; 100 Vienna and Carlsbad China Dinner Sets at $18 up; 75 Haviland China Dinner Sets from $38 up. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

The Fitness of Things.

In the park—the military band is playing. Lady to her daughter: "Pay attention; the clarinet solo is about to commence; put on a sentimental air!"

Turner Suits.

Goods for the Regulation Turner Suits for boys and girls now on sale at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

THE ENDEAVOR CONVENTION

It Will Open To-Night at the Presbyterian Church.

GATHERING OF CHRISTIAN WORKERS.

National and State Officers—The Society Platform and Pledge—Arrival and Assignment of Visitors—Programme for To-Night.

The sixth annual convention of the Illinois Christian Endeavor Union will commence this evening in the audience room of the new First Presbyterian church, and will continue in session until Sunday night. It will be a notable gathering of earnest christian workers, young people who have consecrated their lives to labor for "Christ and the church," the convention verse being "And they saw no man save Jesus only." The Endeavor societies throughout the nation have gained marvelously in numbers and influence.

PLATFORM AND PRINCIPLES.

First and Foremost—Personal devotion to our divine Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Second—Utmost loyalty to their respective denominations on the part of all Christian Endeavor Societies

Third—Steadfast personal love and service for the local church in which a society of Christian Endeavor exists. The church for each local society is the local church with which it is connected.

Fourth— Inter-denominational spiritual fellowship among evangelical denominations, setting forth their spiritual unity in Jesus Christ.

Fifth—Inasmuch as the name "Christian Endeavor" by a marvelous and triumphant trial and history of ten years, has come to mean the definite pledge for the weekly prayer meeting, the monthly consecration service, and the work of the lookout committee, we earnestly urge that in all christian fairness, societies which adopt substantially these methods adopt also the name "Christian Endeavor" and that this name be not applied to other methods of work.

We believe that the Christian Endeavor Society has earned the exclusive right to its own name and its own principles and methods.

ACTIVE MEMBERS' PLEDGE.

Trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ, I promise Him that I will strive to do whatever He would like to have me do; that I will make it the rule of my life to pray and to read the Bible every day, and to support my own church in every way, especially by attending all her regular Sunday and mid-week services unless prevented by some reason which I can conscientiously give my Savior, and that just so far as I know how throughout my whole life, I will endeavor to lead a Christian life. As an active member I promise to be true to all my duties, to be present at and to take some part, aside from singing, in every Christian Endeavor prayer meeting, unless hindered by some reason which I can conscientiously give to my Lord and Master. If obliged to be absent from the monthly consecration meeting of the society, I will, if possible, send at least a verse of scripture to be read in response to my name at the roll call.

National Officers—Rev. F. E. Clark, D. D., president, Boston; J. Willis Baer, secretary, Boston; William Shaw, treasurer, Boston.

Illinois State Officers—Charles B. Holdrege, president, Chicago; Col. C. F. Mills, secretary, Springfield; J. W. Howell, treasurer, Evanston.

Decatur Christian Endeavor Union—I. N. Martin, jr., president; Miss Hattie J. Brown, vice-president; Miss Maud L. Calhoun, secretary; Miss Anna B. Henkle, corresponding secretary; Wilbur Humphrey, treasurer; Miss Lillian B. Irwin, district secretary.

Committee of '92—Representing the Decatur Christian Endeavor Union—Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, general chairman; Miss Mary E. Lewis, secretary; Miss Lillian B. Irwin, entertainment; Miss Hattie J Brown, reception; I. N. Martin, jr., press and printing; Miss Alice Tyler, church; D. A. Strader, finance.

ARRIVAL OF DELEGATES.

The various committees on entertainment were busy to-day in the lecture room of the First M. E. church registering delegates and assigning them to places of entertainment at the hotels and homes of citizens. The work has been reduced to a system by Miss Lewis, and she is ably assisted by a number of young people.

AFTERNOON AND NIGHT.

The following will be the order of exercises for the opening of the convention at the Presbyterian church:

4:00 p. m.—Special prayer service of State and District Officers, Decatur committee and pastors, in the lecture room of First Presbyterian church.

7.00—Service of song, led by L. P Lindsay, of St. Louis.

7:30—Opening exercises.

7:45—Words of Welcome—Chairman of Decatur Committee, Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, pastor of First Presbyterian church. Response—by the State President.

8:00—Convention Sermon—Rev. David James Burrell, D. D., pastor Collegiate Reformed Church, New York City.

9.15—Meeting of State Ex. Committee in state headquarters in First Presbyterian church.

RECEPTION COMMITTEES.

The following committees have been named for the Columbian receptions to be held at three different churches Saturday evening:

First Baptist Church—Rev. and Mrs. Chas. E. Torrey, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Oneal, Rev. and Mrs. J. A. F. King, Misses Blanche Oneal, Anna Henkle, Carrie Clark, Lillian Corman, May Kitchen, Orpha Kitchen, Retta Robbins, Nora Crawford, Mabel Wilson, Ethel Dimock, Minnie Bachman, Mame Freeman, Mrs. Nellie Agate, and Messrs. I. N. Martin, jr., Gus Wilmeth, Adolph Mueller, Carroll McIntyre, Wm. McGee, S. S. DeLaughter, Leon Livingston, Ernest Skinner.

First Presbyterian Church—Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Penhallegon, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Miller, Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Kuntz, Misses Hattie J. Brown, Lillian Irwin, Mary E. Lewis, Annie Schaub, Lillie Chadsey, Mattie Weaver, Carrie Knapp, Abbie Pratt, Carrie Powers, Jessie Angel, Mary Colby, Eva Logan, Effa Draper, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. West, and Messrs. E. P. Irving, Hugh Bone, Walter Adams, Dr. James Henderson, C M. Goltra, Bert Colby.

First M. E. Church—Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Parker, Rev. and Mrs. James Miller, Rev. and Mrs. O. F. Rogers, Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Cake, Mrs. Mattie Blaine, Mrs. Braden, Misses Fannie Cake, Nettie Pritchett, Virginia Odor, Flo Elliott, Lou Bear, Eva Smithson, Lottie Stare, Minnie Davis, Flora Smith, Lissa Jones, Maud Calhoun, Irene Nims, Miss Glore, and Messrs. James Lindsay, Wilbur Humphrey, C. F. Mansfield, A. C. Smith, D. A. Strader, S. W. Lehman, Wilbur Dawson, W. H. Hubbard, Geo. Tucker.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Regular conclave of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, K. T., this (Thursday) evening at 7:00 o'clock. All Knights Templars in regular standing are invited. W. J. WAYNE, E. C.
N. L. ERBOM, Rec.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. M. Huff, of Chicago, is in the city.

H. W. Fenton has returned from Chicago.

C. R. Bachrach has returned from Chicago.

Bob Ferguson is in Minneapolis on business.

Rev. U. Warrington arrived in the city last night.

Dr. O. F. Corman is confined to his home by sickness.

C. M. Lytle was in Springfield yesterday on business.

Wm. Whittington is in Bloomington to-day on business.

W. L Shellabarger was in Cerro Gordo on business yesterday.

Mrs. Everett J. Brown is visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

Mrs. B. O McReynolds is visiting relatives in Bloomington.

Dr. Will Tobey returned last night to his home in Danville.

Miss Jessie Ingels of Chatham is in the city visiting Miss Pritchett.

B. S. Freeman of Boston is in the city visiting James Freeman and family.

Dr. S. R. May of Mt. Zion headed a large delegation from his town to-day.

Miss Etta Walker, of Bloomington, is the guest of Rev. Jas. Miller and family.

Mrs. W. W. Burt and son of Chicago are guests of C. M. Caldwell and family.

John Freeman and A. F. Wilson returned to-day to their home in Mouwequa.

Miss Edith Lytle has returned from an extended visit with relatives in the east.

Mrs. J W. Crane departed to-day for Chicago to visit her sister, Mrs. John W. Wood

Mrs. W. F. Busher, who visited her daughter at Mt. Pulaski, arrived home last night.

Rev. M. S. McCoy of Bement is in town to-day, showing Decatur to a visiting brother

Mrs. Frank Stafford, of Champaign, arrived in the city to-day to visit Jesse Leforgee and family.

Harry Kizer, bookkeeper at the H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating Company's offices, is on the sick list.

Miss Nellie Keller, of Minneapolis and Mrs. Porter, of Chicago, are in the city visiting J. W Race and family.

Miss Mabel Miller, of Blue Mound, left this morning for Lafayette, Ind., where she will visit Miss Hattie Blume.

Theo. Nelson has gone to New Orleans to rest up. Mr. Nelson was secretary of the Democratic State Central committee

Miss Edna Haines of Champaign and Miss Belle Enlass of Mason City are the guests of Miss Nannie Truax at the Hotel Brunswick.

W. B. Gilchrist, well known in Decatur, has sold his stock of boots and shoes at Lincoln, and may travel for a wholesale house.

Mrs. Kittie Weidlinc, of Geneseo, a delegate to the State Endeavor convention, is a guest of her uncle, W. F. Calhoun and family.

Mrs. Berry Serle, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Shilandeman, left to-day for her home in Montrose, Pa.

Ed. H. Bassey, of Chicago, is among the Christian Endeavor delegates attending the convention. He is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bassey.

Miss Kate Elliott, of Litchfield, arrived in the city to-day to visit Mrs. L. A. Mills. Miss Elliott will attend the opening reception and dance at the Calumet club this evening.

Mrs. J. E. Bering and Mrs. B. O. McReynolds attended a reception yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Spencer, 712 West Mulberry street, Bloomington.

Mrs. W. H. Elwood will give a reception Tuesday afternoon, November 22d, at her home at No. 724 West William street. The hours are from 2 to 3:30 o'clock and from 3:30 until 5 o'clock.

Dick Smith who is on duty as operator temporarily at the Western Union telegraph office as a substitute for Charles Millspaugh, may go to St. Louis to accept a permanent position when Millspaugh returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Caldwell, who were united in marriage Tuesday evening, Nov. 15th, at Monticello, Ill., will be "at home" to their friends after Saturday, Dec. 10 at 623 West Main street, Decatur, Ill.

J. E. Saxton left to-day for Chicago on business. He received an urgent telegram from Santa Claus this morning and he took the first train for that city to arrange for his annual appearance in this city, December 25.

Attorney Wm. Chitty of Chicago, who has been in the city visiting Harry Shilandeman, left to-day for his home. Mr. Chitty was a member of the Democratic state central committee. The gentlemen were former school chums at Champaign.

Gen. Sherman's St. Louis Home.

The residence property of Gen. W. T. Sherman in St. Louis, which was presented to him by some of his admirers, was sold at auction last week to F A. Drew. Since that time a movement has been made looking toward securing it for a museum. The St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* publishes the following concerning the matter:

There is a strong probability that Gen. Sherman's former mansion, No. 912 Garrison avenue, which was recently purchased by F. A. Drew for $15,000, will become the property of the old General's former comrades in arms and be made a museum of Sherman relics. Mr. Henry Fenerbach, the contractor, went to Mr. Draw on behalf of Ransom Post, G. A. R. and obtained an option on the property at the price which Mr. Drew paid for it. Mr. Fenerbach has called a meeting of the many friends of Gen. Sherman, to be held in the Sherman residence, Friday evening, to take measures for the purchase of the house. The Army of the Tennessee, Gen. Sherman's old command, will meet in St. Louis to-morrow and the members of the organization will be induced to help in the work. Gen. Sherman's son, Tecumseh, is in the city to take part in the Army of the Tennessee encampment and he has been interested in the effort to buy his father's old home. The family will give what relics they have and many memorials of Gen. Sherman will be obtained from the veterans of the Tennessee Army. A hall will probably be built on Bell avenue, where the stable now is, and the rooms filled with Sherman relics.

Sales of Real Estate.

United States to G. W. Gepford, the east half of the southeast quarter of block 10, and the west half of the southwest quarter 10 in 16, 1 west.

Thos. Grove to Mathew Creighton, 8 acres in the west half of lot 3 in 16, 17, 4 east—$150.

Mary A. Jostes to Elijah L. Streeney, lot 8, 9 and 10 in block 5 in village of Boody—$575.

Julia A. Williams to A. S. Kazar, lot 16 in block 2, Julia A. Williams' second addition to Decatur—$500.

Harry H. Platt to Samuel I. Fields, deed to lot 7, block 5, Enterprise addition—$300.

Ann H. Shelly to H. H. Platt, deed to above lot—$275.

Ann H. Shelly to John O. Corson, deed to lot 5, block 5, Enterprise addition—$250.

Ann H. Shelly to W. M. Lewis et al, deed to lots 16 and 17, block 1, Northside Park addition—$800.

Ann H. Shelly to Mrs. F. A. Rosenberg, deed to lot 1, block 1, Enterprise addition—$350.

Abbott A. Reeves to J. T. McCown, deed to lot in block 3, Packard's addition—$200.

Abbott A. Reeves to J. T. McCown, deed to part of lot in block 3, Packard's addition—$200.

COMBINATION HORSE SALE.

Standard and High-Bred Trotters, Colts and Fillies Under the Hammer.

The combination sale of horses belonging to D. W. and Eli Brenneman, J. L. Connelly, A. S. Waltz and R. R. Montgomery, is in progress to-day at the Baker Auditorium, with Tobey Ward as auctioneer, George Keller clerk. The attendance is large and the bidding is somewhat spirited at intervals. The sales made up to 2 o'clock this afternoon were as follows:

McKinley, foaled '92, bred by Montgomery, sold to H. C. Wallace, Decatur, $60.

Henry Gould, foaled '91, bred by Waltz, sold to W. A Coebran, Decatur $66.

Maud, foaled in '86, owned by Connelly sold to F. E. Wilson, Macon, $127.

Pair of brown geldings, 3 and 4 years old, owned by Brenneman Bros., sold to F. E Wilson, Macon, $149.

Nora C., foaled '87, owned by Connelly, sold to W. I. Downing, Decatur, $121.

Bay gelding, 2 years old, owned by Brenneman & Bro., sold to S. A. Crossman, Warrensburg, $71.

Eve, a bay filley, owned by Montgomery, sold to W. H. Williams, Emery, $70.

Daniel, foaled '91, owned by Waltz, sold to James Millikin, Decatur, $107.

Mattie S., a sorrel filley, owned by Connelly, sold to T. F. Talbott, Harristowe, $125.

Bay gelding, 2 year old, owned by Brenneman & Bro., sold to W. J. Boughman, Ft. Wayne, Ind., $50.

Roy Hamlet, foaled in '92, owned by Connelly, sold to W. T. Downing, Decatur, $75.

Bay gelding, two years old, owned by Brenneman & Bro., sold to Henry Koons, Decatur, $90.

Belle Kramer, foaled in '81, owned by Connelly, sold to C. A. Caskey, Windsor, Ill., $75.50.

Felice, foaled in '88, bred by Montgomery, sold to William Perry, Todd's Point, Ill., $133.

There are altogether 46 animals to be sold.

DEATH AT A JUBILEE.

[SPECIAL TO REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—At a Democratic celebration at Montanview, Ark., fire works stored in a hall exploded, wrecking a school house, killing five persons and seriously injuring fifteen others.

Leonard Assembly To night.

The following program of dance will be observed to-night at the Prof. Leonard Assembly at Abbott's hall:

Promenade and Majestic Polonaise ..... New
Waltz
Lancers ..... Standard
Wentworth ..... New
Rock and Rye
Harvard Gavotte ..... New
Spanish Yorke
Lancers ..... Diagonal
Manitou ..... New
Waltz ..... Polka Dot
La Petit Pavane ..... New
Oxford
Quadrille ..... Standard
Waltz, Lancers
Polka, Polonaise ..... New
La Coquette
Carlyle ..... New
Waltz ..... Home, Good Night

All the new dances will be exemplified by Prof. Leonard and daughters, Carrie and Marie.

Preparing the Columbian Stamps.

The postoffice department is working steadily on the new series of stamps to be known as the "Columbus series" for use during the World's Columbian exposition, but has not yet completed the arrangements of the various important events in the life of America's discoverer to be illustrated on the stamps which will run in the denominations of from 1 cent to $5. The cause of the difficulty in the arrangement of the illustrations is in regard to placing the selections according to chronological events and in deciding upon which likeness of Columbus to use, there being numerous portraits to select from. The matter will be a special feature in the annual report of Third Assistant Postmaster General Hazen.

Wedded at Jacksonville.

Mrs. C. A. Ewing and Miss Belle Ewing arrived home last night from Jacksonville where yesterday they attended the wedding and reception of Hon. Thomas Worthington, of Pittsfield, and Miss Miriam Morrison, daughter of Hon. I. L Morrison. The bride has frequently visited in Decatur, and the groom was here with the Major McKinley party in October. The members of the L. Burrows family were among the invited friends. The marriage was the fashionable event of the year in Jacksonville society. Mr. Worthington is a leading attorney of Pike county, and is a gentleman of wealth and high culture.

On the Ground Floor.

The court house committee to-day located the state's attorney's office in the new building. Mr. Mills was assigned two rooms on the ground floor, under the tower, with windows facing Wood and Water streets. The rooms are quite large and will be quite convenient for people having business with the state's attorney.

Coal Will Not Advance.

Coal dealers are of the opinion that there will be no advance in the price of coal, at least during the present month. There is especially a scarcity of bituminous coal, caused by the phenomenal growth of manufacturing industries, but even with this state of affairs dealers do not anticipate much of a rise in price.

Fifer will Settle in Bloomington.

A special from Bloomington says upon authority of Isaac N. Phillips that at the close of Gov. Fifer's administration he will return to Bloomington and the old law firm of Fifer & Phillips will be revived to practice in that city.

5 O'Clock Teas.

Twenty different styles of 5 o'clock teas. 375 styles of A. D. coffees, also the correct thing in 5 o'clock just opened.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

ELEGANT LADIES' WRAPS! MADE TO ORDER,

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by B. Z. Taylor who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 17 1892.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Nov	71⅝	71⅝	71⅛	71⅛
Dec	72⅞	72⅞	72⅛	72⅛
May	79	79⅛	78¾	78¾
CORN—				
Nov	41⅝	41⅝	41¼	41⅛
Dec	42	42	41⅝	41⅝
May	47⅞	47⅞	46¾	46¾
OATS—				
Nov	31¼	31¼	30¾	30¾
Dec	31⅝	31⅝	31	31
May	36⅞	36⅞	36⅝	36⅝
PORK—				
Dec	12 20	12 25	12 07	12 25
Jan	13 80	14 00	13 80	14 00
May	14 00	14 10	14 00	14 10
LARD—				
Nov	9 07	9 37	9 07	9 30
Jan	....	8 17	8 17	8 17
RIBS—				
Nov	7 05	7 17	7 02	7 12
Jan	7 02	7 17	7 02	7 12

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat all grades, 192.
Corn, all grades, 269.
Oats, all grades, 105.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 190; Corn, 220; Oats, 150.
Hogs 24,000.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Hogs 24,000; steady.
Cattle 15 000 steady.

Bulls little doing in the market. New York houses advise buying May wheat. Wheat decline ¼. Corn ¼. Oats ½. Milmine & Bodman heavy sellers of corn above 47 cents.

Illinois Woman's Columbian Club.

The next meeting of the Macon County Columbian Club will be held at the Woman's Club rooms November 25, at 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Miller will deliver an address on the "Evolution of Government." All are invited.

MRS. J. E. BERING, Pres.
E. C. PHILBROOK, Sec.

No. 2, Y. M. C. A. Star Course,

Monday night, at the Grand Opera House Ora J. Gould, humorist, lectures on "*You Can't Help It, to Save Your Life.*" Reserved seat plat opens at Templeton's Friday, November 18. Admission, 50 cents. 17-32t

Prohibition Club.

The Prohibition club will meet to-night in Library Block to discuss the question "Is the outlook encouraging," and to talk about plans for the spring campaign. There will be good music and all are invited to attend.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

You will relish your Thanksgiving dinner a (trifle) bit better if your bread and cakes are made out of White Foam flour. Manufactured by the Hatfield Milling company. 17-d1w

Merino and Cashmere Underwear, the largest and best assorted stock, at lower prices than anywhere, at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Co. d&w

Prof. Vaught's Lectures.

Every evening this week in the Syndicate Block, 8 o'clock. Admission free. 1636

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

ADVERTISING TEST NO. 2.

The two advertising tests we have made this week convince us that the people appreciate the tempting offers we have made. We continue these tests another week and now we offer one more:

We have sold the JAMES A. BANISTER SHOE for men at Five Dollars all the time and we can get the same price for them almost any time because they are as good shoes as are made anywhere by anybody. But if you will cut out this advertisement and bring it with you or bring the paper containing it, we will sell you a pair of these famous Banister Shoes for men at FOUR DOLLARS ONLY. Here's an easy way to save a dollar and get excellent shoes.

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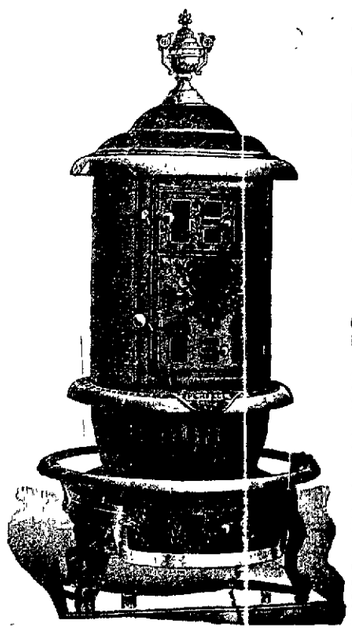

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